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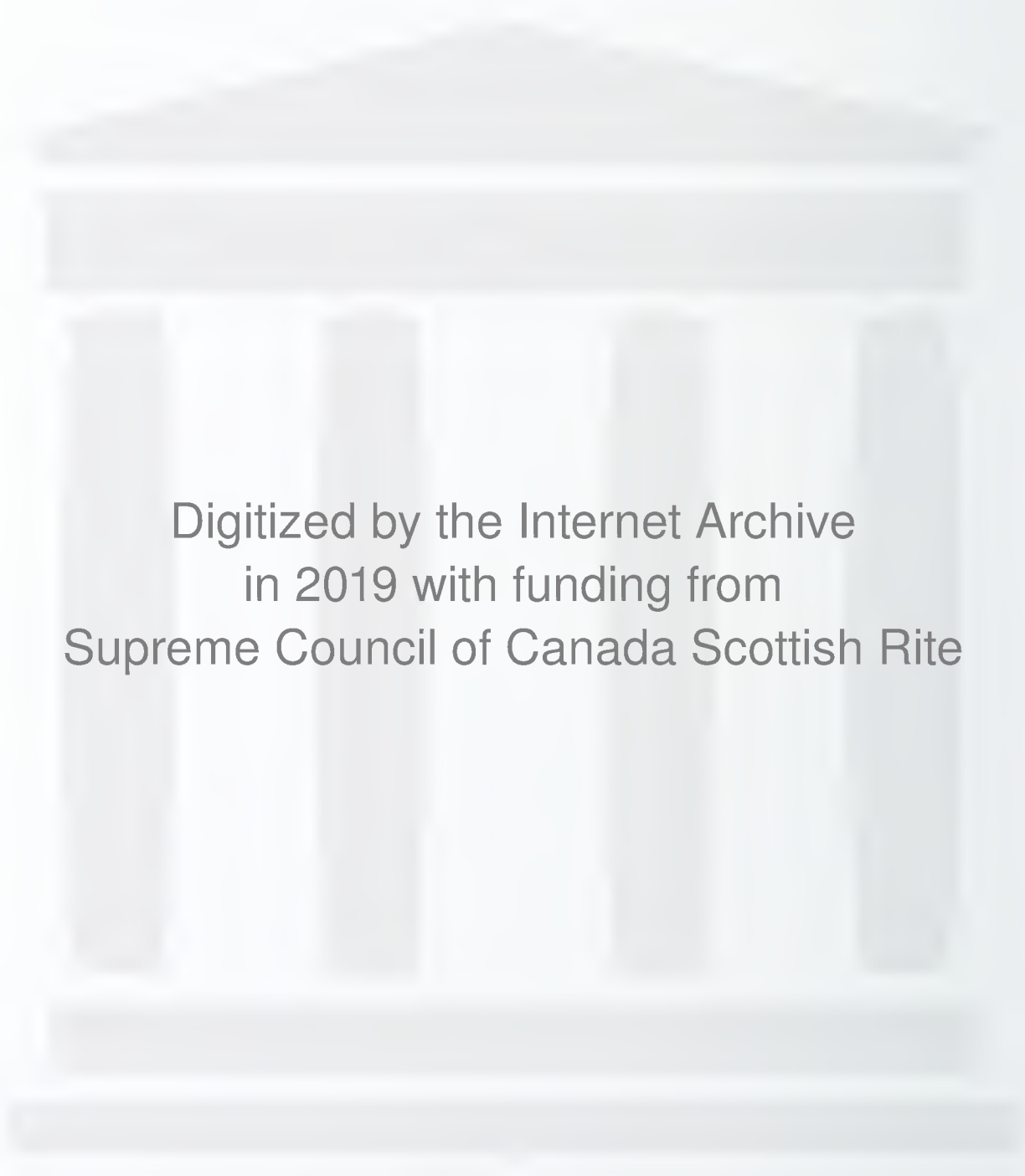
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FOR THE

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Sovereign Grand Inspectors-General of the
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ANNUAL SESSION
MONTREAL, QUEBEC
THIRTEENTH, FOURTEENTH AND FIFTEENTH
DAYS OF SEPTEMBER
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GEORGE C. DERBY, 33°, VANCOUVER, BRITISH COLUMBIA
M.°.P.°.Sovereign Grand Commander.

WILBERT G. WELBY, 33°, HAMILTON, ONTARIO
Ill.°.Grand Secretary-General, H.°.E.°.



ILL. BRO. GEORGE C. DERBY, 33°
M. P. Sovereign Grand Commander

ILL. . BRO. . DAVID MONTEITH TAYLOR, 33°

Ill. . Bro. . Taylor was born in Glasgow, Scotland on August 28th, 1908, where he received his early education. He came to Canada in 1922 with his parents who settled in Regina, Sask. After graduating from Regina Collegiate Institute he moved to Vancouver.

He started his business career in 1925 with the photographic supply firm of Camera & Arts Ltd., who were bought out by the Eastman Kodak Company in 1927. Bro. . Taylor has been in the employ of Eastman Photographic Materials Ltd. since that time, the last fifteen years as Manager, the position he now holds.

In 1934 he married Doreen Caird. They have one daughter, Ellen Diane, and two grandchildren.

Bro. . Taylor was initiated, passed and raised in Empire Lodge No. 85, B.C.R. in 1936. Served as Worshipful Master in 1946, D.D.G.M. in 1955 and was elected Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of British Columbia in June 1962. Member Finance Committee, Grand Lodge of B.C., Grand Representative, Grand Lodge of Louisiana, Director, Masonic Temple Association, Vancouver.

In the Scottish Rite he joined the Lodge of Perfection in 1947, the Rose Croix Chapter in 1948, the Consistory in 1949 and presided as T. . P. . G. . M. . in 1961.

Bro. . Taylor was Coroneted Honorary Inspector-General, 33°, in 1964 at Ottawa, and Crowned Active Member at Montreal in 1965, following which he was elected and installed Deputy for British Columbia.

He is also a member of the Royal Order of Scotland, Red Cross of Constantine, Western Conclave No. 25, Gizeh Temple, A.A.O.N.M.S.



ILL. BRO. DAVID M. TAYLOR, 33°
Deputy for British Columbia

ILL.·BRO.·GEORGE BARLOW INGRAHAM, 33°

Ill.·Bro.·George Barlow Ingraham was born in West Saint John, N.B., February 23rd, 1905, son of Ill.·Bro.·E. R. W. Ingraham, 32°, and Julia Mabel (Barlow) Ingraham and received his education in the public and high schools of Saint John.

He entered the employ of T. McAvity & Sons, Iron, Brass and Plumbing Manufacturers where for many years he served as Tool Engineer. Latterly he has been instructor at the Saint John Technical Institute situated in Saint John.

Mr. and Mrs. Ingraham are actively associated with St. John Stone Church (Anglican).

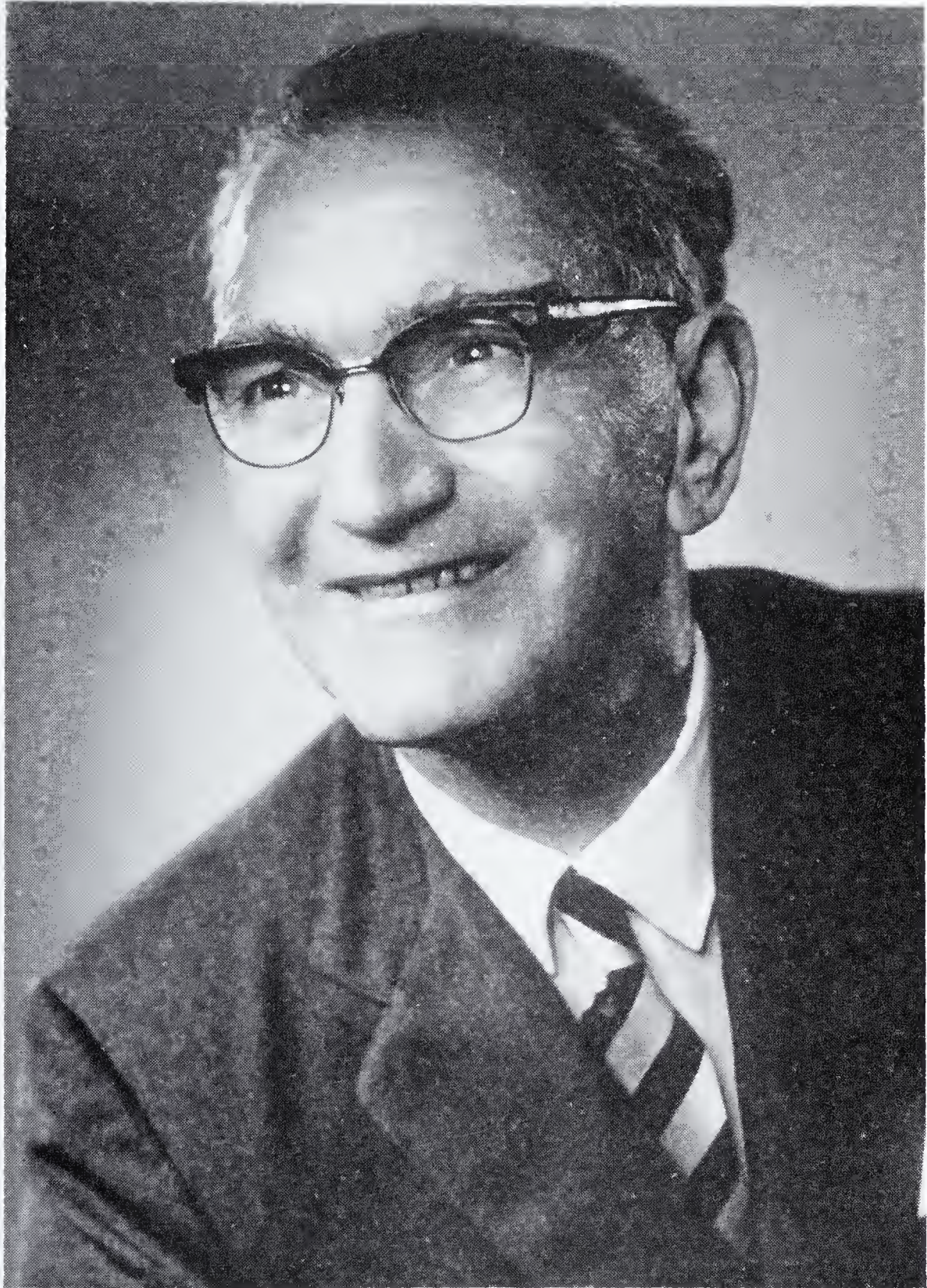
Ill.·Bro.·Ingraham was initiated in Carleton Union Lodge No. 8, G.R.N.B. receiving his M.M. Degree on June 24th, 1937; Worshipful Master 1948; District Deputy Grand Master No. 1 District 1951 to 1954; Deputy Grand Master Grand Lodge of New Brunswick, 1957 and member Board of General Purposes since 1957.

In Scottish Rite, he received the 14° September 25th, 1941; 18° April 6th, 1944, and 32° June 13th, 1945, T.·P.·G.·M.· Saint John Lodge of Perfection 1948-49; Most Wise Sovereign Harington Chapter Rose Croix 1946-47; Commander-in-Chief New Brunswick Consistory 1958-59. He was coroneted an Honorary Inspector-General, 33°, at Vancouver, B.C., September 21st, 1955, and crowned an Active Member at Montreal, Que., September 14th, 1965.

Ill.·Bro.·Ingraham is an officer of the Royal Order of Scotland and Noble of Luxor Temple, A.A.O.N.M.S. Saint John.

Masonic influences were evident in his family associations, wherein his Father was very active in the collateral bodies of Masonry and his wife's family for three generations supported Masonic endeavors in Nova Scotia.

Mrs. Ingraham was a native of Bear River, N.S. and joined life-time partnership in 1940.



ILL. BRO. GEORGE B. INGRAHAM, 33°

ILL. BRO. JAMES PALMER KENT, 33°

Born in Toronto, Ontario, October 28th, 1897, and received early education in public schools and collegiate institutes in Toronto.

Attended McMaster University in Toronto for two years then served overseas as a Lieutenant in the Machine Gun Corps of the British Army during the First World War, serving in the Palestine Campaign with Allenby.

Returning home, he entered Osgoode Hall and qualified to become a Barrister and Solicitor in 1920. He was created a King's Counsel in 1938. Married in 1925 to Nita May Shaw, they had two sons and a daughter and now have seven grandchildren.

After practising law for many years, Bro. Kent retired from the office of City Solicitor for the Corporation of the City of Toronto in 1962 and now practices as General Counsel for The Toronto Electric Commissioners the Canadian National Exhibition Association, the Association of Ontario Mayors and Reeves and others.

During the Second World War he served as an officer with the Osgoode Hall C.O.T.C. and the Queen's Own Rifles Regiment of Canada. He was president of the County of York Law Association in 1942, of the Empire Club of Canada in 1962-63, of the Thornhill Golf Club in 1937 and of the Granite Club of Toronto in 1962 and 1963. He serves on the Ontario and National Boards of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind and is a life deacon of Yorkminster Park Baptist Church of Toronto. He is now vice-president of the Toronto Branch of the English Speaking Union.

Bro. Kent joined Ashlar Lodge in 1930, was Master in 1944, and Grand Steward of the Grand Lodge in 1960 and 1961. Joining Toronto Lodge of Perfection in 1945, he completed the 18° in Toronto Sovereign Chapter of Rose Croix in 1949 and received the 32° in Moore Sovereign Consistory in Hamilton on November 11th, 1949. He was Coroneted an Honorary Inspector-General, 33°, at Halifax in 1957 and was Crowned an Active Member 33° at Montreal on September 15th, 1965.

He became a member of the Royal Order of Scotland on November 22nd, 1958.



ILL. BRO. JAMES PALMER KENT, 33°

ILL. BRO. GEORGE STANLEY ROGERS, 33°

ILL. Bro. Rogers was born October 11, 1901, at Brantford, Ontario. He was educated in the Public Schools, and the Brantford Collegiate Institute, continuing his education at the University of Toronto in Electrical Engineering.

Bro. Rogers emigrated to the United States where he was Assistant Industrial Engineer with The Packard Motor Car Company of Detroit, Michigan.

In 1933 he returned to Brantford where he remained until 1939, at which time he came to Hamilton to start manufacturing operations for The Super Oil Seal Manufacturing Co. Ltd., now known as the Chicago Rawhide Products, Canada Limited. In 1956 the Company moved to a new plant in Brantford, Ontario. At present he is Vice-President and Factory Manager.

He is a member of Westdale United Church, Hamilton, serving on the Board of Stewards from 1946 to 1954.

He is a member of The Toronto Railway Club, Grand Valley Group of Professional Engineers, the Brantford Board of Trade, Canadian Chamber of Commerce, and the Brantford Club.

Bro. Rogers was Initiated into Dorie Lodge No. 121, Brantford, May 17, 1935.

Affiliated with Temple Lodge, No. 324, Hamilton, November, 1946.

Member of Murton Lodge of Perfection, November, 1946.

Member of Hamilton Sovereign Chapter of Rose Croix, March, 1948.

Member of Moore Sovereign Consistory, November, 1948.

Commander-in-Chief, Moore Sovereign Consistory, 1962-1963.

Appointed a member of the Board of Directors of The Scottish Rite Club of Hamilton in 1950, and acted as Chairman of that Body for the 1952-1953 term.

In February 1965 he was appointed a director of Towers Limited.

Coroneted Honorary Inspector-General, 33°, September 1960, Fort William, Ontario.

Royal Order of Scotland, April 1964.

Crowned an Active Member of Supreme Council, September 1965, Montreal, Quebec.

On August 20, 1929, he married Audrey Cinnamon of Lindsay, Ont., later of Brantford, Ont.

They have two sons, George Douglas and Murray Alan, both married, each having two children.



ILL. 'BRO.' GEORGE S. ROGERS, 33c

ILL. BRO. HARVEY ROY DOANE, 33°

ILL. BRO. Doane was born on March 24, 1910, at Halifax, Nova Scotia, where he received his early education. With the exception of two years spent in Saint John, New Brunswick, he has lived all his life in Halifax.

In 1927 he articulated with the firm of F. A. Nightingale and Company, Chartered Accountants, and in 1932 received his degree and a partnership in the firm of D. S. Hart and Company. In 1937 Bro. Doane established his own practise as H. R. Doane and Company which has expanded over the years to now consist of twenty-one branches in the Atlantic Provinces. He is also one of the senior partners of the national firm of Winspear, Higgins, Stevenson and Doane.

Bro. Doane has served as President of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Nova Scotia and in 1950 as the President of the Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants.

In 1933 Bro. Doane married Anne Margaret Hayden of Port Wade, Nova Scotia and they have three children—Harvey Lawrence, Alan Hayden and Beverly Anne Healey.

He is a member of The First Baptist Church and has served as the Treasurer and for several years as Chairman of the Board of Management.

His only interest in civic affairs was as a member of the Board of School Commissioners for one term but he has been very active in service club and community activities.

He served as Governor and as an International Trustee of Kiwanis.
President of the N.S. Division of Canadian Red Cross Society.

President of the N.S. Division of the Canadian Bible Society.

President of Halifax Executive Association.

Member of Council of Halifax Board of Trade.

Member of the Board of Governors of the Atlantic Baptist Foundation.

Member of the Industrial Loan Board of the Province of Nova Scotia.

Member of the Board of the Halifax Welfare Bureau.

Member of the Board of Halifax-Dartmouth United Appeal.

Honorary Treasurer and a Governor of the Saraguay Club.

President of the Atlantic Trust Company and a Director of several other Nova Scotia corporations.

His Masonic record has paralleled his other interests. He was initiated June 1942 in St. Andrews No. 1. In Scottish Rite he received the 14° in 1945, the 18° in 1946 and the 32° in 1948. He was T. P. G. M. of the Lodge of Perfection and has been a member of the Membership Committee for several years. He was coroneted an Honorary Inspector-General, 33°, at London in 1962 and crowned an Active Member of Supreme Council in Montreal in September, 1965.

He is also a member of the Royal Order of Scotland, 1964, and Philae Temple A.A.O.N.M.S.



ILL. BRO. HARVEY R. DOANE, 33°

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FIRST EXECUTIVE SESSION

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 10th, 1965

The Sovereign Grand Commander having so designated under the powers conferred on him by Article 5 of the Statutes and Regulations and notice thereof having been mailed on June 15th, 1965, the Active and Past Active Members assembled in the Chaudiere Room of the Queen Elizabeth hotel at 2:30 p.m., when after reading of the notice and of Article 5 by the Grand Secretary-General, the Sovereign Grand Commander, Ill. Bro. George C. Derby, 33°, called the Executive Session to order.

The Sovereign Grand Commander referred to the great loss sustained by Supreme Council in the past year in the passing of three Active Members, Ill. Bros. Thomas K. Wade, 33°, Clarence MacL. Pitts, 33° and Hugh M. Dunlop, 33°, and paid suitable tribute to their memory. The members honored their departed brethren by standing for a moment's silence.

Messages and letters were received from Ill. Bro. Douglas Fraser, 33°, Clyde S. Clancy, 33° and R. A. B. Wootton, 33°, regretting their inability to attend, and on motion, they were duly excused.

Final arrangements and details of the formal opening of the Session on Tuesday were completed.

Two Notices of Motion to amend the Statutes and Regulations, which had been forwarded to all Active Members on May 4th, 1965, were referred to the Committee on Jurisprudence and Legislation, with a request for a report on the following day.

The Sovereign Grand Commander referred to the imminent translation of Ill. Bro. Ernest M. Dillon, 33°, at the conclusion of this Session to Past Active rank, he having attained his seventy-fifth birthday on June 25th, 1965. Ill. Bro. Derby thanked Ill. Bro. Dillon for his contribution to Supreme Council over the years, expressing the hope and expectation that he would continue to serve the Council, and Ill. Bro. Dillon accepted the challenge when he stated his intention of continuing interest and service.

Ill. Bro. Donald L. Witter, 33°, advised that the Montreal Bodies would not require any financial assistance for the present Session, other than the contribution of one-half the Registration charge. However, the Secretary-General read from an interim report from the Niagara Falls Valley, indicating a need of approximately \$2500.00 in addition to the contribution of one-half the Registration charge, for the 1966 Session in Niagara Falls. On motion, duly seconded, the request of Niagara Falls Valley was referred to the Sovereign Grand Commander for action in his discretion, with a suggested limit of \$2500.

On motion of Ill. Bro. H. B. Jackson, 33°, and duly seconded, it was unanimously resolved that the 1966 Session be held in Niagara Falls, opening on Tuesday, September 13th with such prior Executive Sessions as designated by the Sovereign Grand Commander.

Ill. Bro. C. H. Cunningham, 33°, Chairman of the Sovereign Grand Commander's Special Committee on Mileage and Per Diem, requested reconsideration of the Resolution passed during the 1964 Session respecting the allowance for 1965. Ill. Bro. Cunningham's motion for reconsideration, seconded by Ill. Bro. R. C. Hodsman, 33°, was then

carried, it having received the necessary two-thirds majority. The members then gave consideration to a report submitted by Ill. Bro. Cunningham, approved by all the members of the Committee, recommending payment to Active and Past Active Members for the present 1965 Session of amounts based on actual railway charges, plus \$150.

On motion of Ill. Bro. Cunningham, seconded by Ill. Bro. Hodsman, it was resolved that the Resolution passed at the 1964 Session, respecting the Mileage and Per Diem allowance for 1965, be rescinded, and there be substituted in lieu thereof, that the Mileage and Per Diem for 1965 be the amount of the actual railway charge plus \$150.

It was then moved by Ill. Bro. Cunningham, seconded by Ill. Bro. Hodsman, and carried, that the Mileage and Per Diem for 1966, be the same as that approved for 1965.

The Grand Secretary-General read letters received from Ill. Bro. Clyde S. Clancy, 33°, Ill. Bro. R. A. B. Wootton, 33°, and Ill. Bro. Reginald F. Wright, 33°, resigning their Active Membership and requesting transfers to Past Active Membership. On motion, duly seconded, these Active Members were transferred to Past Active Membership with the regrets of the members.

Ill. Bro. Howard B. Moore, 33°, Chairman of the Committee on Audit and Finance presented a Budget for 1965-1966, which was given a preliminary examination with approval deferred to a later meeting.

Preliminary presentations of nominees for Active and Honorary Membership of Supreme Council were made by the various Deputies, all of which were approved for future nominations in accordance with the Statutes and Regulations.

The membership of the Committee on Nominations having been sadly depleted by the decease of Ill. Bro. Thomas K. Wade, 33° and Ill. Bro. Clarence MacL. Pitts, 33°, the Sovereign Grand Commander appointed Ill. Bro. Howard B. Moore, 33° and Ill. Bro. D. A. R. McCannel, 33°, as members of that Committee in lieu of the two deceased members.

On motion, unanimously passed, the time for the conferral of the Degree of Honorary Inspector-General upon

Ill.:Bros.:Norman Claude Cowie, Ronald Martland, and William Lloyd McPhee, all of whom had been elected at the 1964 Session to receive the Degree at this Session, was extended until the 1966 Session.

Ill.:Bro.:T. M. Sieniewicz then provided the Members with a short summary on conditions in the Province of Newfoundland, indicating some progress had been made in the past year, with seven applicants coming from the West Coast of that Province for the meetings on the 1st and 2nd October, and seven applicants, including Premier Smallwood to attend the Halifax meetings on the 13th, 14th and 15th October. Bro.:Sieniewicz advised that a Scottish Rite Club was being organized in St. Johns.

Dinner for the Active Members, their wives and guests, having been arranged, this Session was closed at 4:30 p.m.

SECOND EXECUTIVE SESSION, FRIDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 10th, 1965

Following dinner, attended by the Members, their wives and guests, the Executive Session was called to order at 8:00 p.m. in the Chaudiere Room of the Hotel.

Ill.:Bro.:Walter H. Gibson, 33°, Chairman of the Sovereign Grand Commander's Special Committee on the Foundation, read a short summary of the Report to be submitted in General Session, advising that the work of the Committee had now been completed and requesting discharge. On motion of Ill.:Bro.:Gibson, seconded by Ill.:Bro.:Howard B. Moore, 33°, the Report was received and the Sovereign Grand Commander granted the request for discharge of this Committee.

The Grand Secretary-General, Ill.:Bro.:W. G. Welby, 33°, presented his Report for the past year, prior to presentation in General Session. His recommendation respecting the "Name Book" was deferred for consideration in 1968, which would complete a five year period. There was some discussion of his recommendation respecting revising the roll of members by the deleting of "lost members". On motion of the Grand Secretary-General, seconded by Ill.:Bro.:Howard B. Moore, 33°, the Report was received, and it was resolved that Council approve in principle the revis-

ing of the roll of members, and that the Grand Secretary-General forward his recommendation to the Committee on Jurisprudence and Legislation, requesting a study and report at our next Annual Session.

The Grand Treasurer-General, Ill. Bro. R. Coulton Berkinshaw, 33°, then presented his Annual Financial Report for consideration prior to presentation in General Session, explaining the new and improved format of the financial statement prepared by the Auditor, and he gave a very thorough and detailed explanation of the statement. On his motion, after the Sovereign Grand Commander's comment that this was the finest report ever presented and an expression of appreciation to the Grand Treasurer-General, the report was received.

At the request of the Sovereign Grand Commander, Ill. Bro. R. V. Harris, 33°, informed the Council that he was making progress on two books respecting the History of the Antecedents of the Scottish Rite, and expected they would be available in a few months.

The Report of the Committee on Foreign Relations was presented by the Chairman of that Committee, Ill. Bro. J. McL. Marshall, 33°, and provoked a lengthy discussion. Ill. Bro. R. Coulton Berkinshaw, 33°, a member of the Committee, undertook the task of explaining our actions respecting the Supreme Council of France, advising that adoption of the Report would include a Resolution confirming and approving the actions of our Sovereign Grand Commander, and the actions of the Sovereign Grand Commanders of the Northern Masonic and Southern Jurisdictions and of the Netherlands in the recognition and approval of Ill. Bro. Charles Riandey, 33°, as Sovereign Grand Commander of the Supreme Council of France. This resolution would reaffirm the appointment of Ill. Bro. Riandey as our Grand Representative near the Supreme Council of France, and request our Sovereign Grand Commander to nominate a Grand Representative of France near our Supreme Council.

The Report of the Committee on Foreign Relations and the Resolution appended thereto were heartily endorsed by the Members and on motion, were adopted.

Ill. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw, 33°, then explained to the Members the situation regarding the holding of the next International Conference, which had been scheduled to meet

in France, in June, 1966. It had been found, for several reasons, inconvenient to hold the Meeting in France and the Supreme Council of Germany had issued an invitation to hold the Meeting of the Conference in Baden-Baden in October, 1966. Ill. Bro. Berkinshaw recommended that the Meeting of the Conference be postponed, but if the Meeting was held in Germany that our Supreme Council should send a representative. The Members unanimously supported Ill. Bro. Berkinshaw's recommendation.

The Sovereign Grand Commander subsequently nominated Ill. Bro. Henry A. Vallieres, 33°, as the Grand Representative of France near our Supreme Council.

Ill. Bro. W. A. Henry, 33°, Chairman of the Committee on Dispensations and Warrants presented the report of his Committee, recommending a Dispensation for a Lodge of Perfection at Sydney, Nova Scotia, to be called Cape Breton Lodge of Perfection. The Illustrious Deputy for Nova Scotia having recommended that the Petition be granted, the Committee finding the Petition in order, on motion of Ill. Bro. Henry, the report was received.

The Executive Session then closed at 10:05 p.m.

THIRD EXECUTIVE SESSION, SATURDAY AFTERNOON, SEPTEMBER 11th, 1965

Following luncheon, in the Richelieu Room of the Hotel, the third Executive Session was called to order at 1:45 p.m., in the Chaudiere Room.

NOTICES OF MOTION

Ill. Bro. Arthur L. Scace, 33°, submitted the Report of the Committee on Jurisprudence and Legislation to the effect that the proposed Amendments set forth in the Notices of Motion were properly within the competence of the Supreme Council and on his motion, the Report was received.

The Grand Secretary-General then moved in accordance with the Notices of Motion that the Statutes and Regulations be amended as follows:

1. Sub-section (2) of Article 36 be amended by deleting the words "thirty-first day of July" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "thirtieth day of June" so that sub-section shall read as follows:

"The fiscal year of this SUPREME COUNCIL shall close annually on the thirtieth day of June."

2. Sub-section (e) of Article 35 be amended by deleting the words "first day of June" in the last line and inserting therein the words "first day of May" so that the said sub-section shall read as follows:

"furnish all Constituent Bodies of the Rite in this jurisdiction with blank returns in triplicate on or before the first day of May in each year."

3. Sub-section (a) of Article 73 be amended by deleting the words "thirtieth day of June" in the last line thereof and inserting in lieu thereof "thirty-first day of May", so that the said sub-section shall read as follows:

"Annual Returns to this SUPREME COUNCIL upon forms furnished by the Grand Secretary-General, shall be made in triplicate and shall include the transactions for the fiscal year ending thirty-first day of May."

4. Sub-section (e) of Article 73 be amended by deleting the words "fifteenth day of July" in the last line thereof and inserting in lieu thereof "fifteenth day of June", so that the sub-section shall read as follows:

"Returns to both Officers above named shall be made not later than the fifteenth day of June in each year."

5. Sub-section (d) Article 45—(withdrawals), be amended to read as follows:

"All cheques for withdrawal of money shall be requisitioned by the Grand Secretary-General, or in his absence or disability, by the Assistant Grand Secretary-General, and be signed by the Grand Treasurer-General and any one of the following: M.:P.:Sovereign Grand Commander; P.:Lieut.:

Grand Commander; Chairman of the Audit and Finance Committee and the Grand Secretary-General or in the absence or disability of the Grand Treasurer-General, by any two of the four last named Officers."

The motion was then seconded by Ill. Bro. Scace and carried unanimously.

The Sovereign Grand Commander then requested the Deputies to present their views respecting any change of status of Honorary Inspectors-General who have attained the age of 75 years, referring to the discussion during the 1964 Session. Various views were submitted by all the Deputies, most of which were favorable if no change in the character of an Honorary Inspector-General was implied.

On motion of Ill. Bro. Howard B. Moore, 33°, seconded by Ill. Bro. T. M. Sieniewicz, 33°, it was resolved that the Sovereign Grand Commander appoint a committee to prepare a report in this matter, whereby younger men may be encouraged, possibly by the enlarging of the quota or by other means.

Ill. Bro. E. M. Dillon, 33°, then read the Report of the Committee on Rituals and Ritualistic Matter, which he proposed to present to General Session. This report was discussed at some length and various viewpoints were presented by other members. On motion of Ill. Bro. Dillon, seconded by Ill. Bro. T. M. Sieniewicz, 33°, the report was received, and the revised Lectures of the 4th, 5th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th and 14th Degrees were approved for use.

On motion of Ill. Bro. E. M. Dillon, 33°, seconded by Ill. Bro. T. M. Sieniewicz, 33°, question No. 8 in the Active Degree respecting "publication" was deleted.

The Deputies then presented their Annual Reports, which would be filed during the General Session. Many of the Deputies expanded their written Reports and all were thanked by the Sovereign Grand Commander. These Reports were received with the understanding they would be printed in full in the Proceedings, after presentation at the General Session, and reference thereof to the Committee on the General State of the Rite.

Ill. Bro. Howard B. Moore, 33°, then presented the Report of the Committee on Audit and Finance, including the proposed Budget and after discussion and on his motion, seconded by Ill. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw, 33°, the report was received.

The Executive Session was adjourned at 5:40 p.m. to permit the Active Members to receive their distinguished guests and others for dinner in the Richelieu Room.

FOURTH EXECUTIVE SESSION, SATURDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 11th, 1965

Following the dinner of the Active Members, their ladies and distinguished guests, an Executive Session was resumed in the Chaudiere Room at 8:00 p.m.

Ill. Bro. Howard B. Moore, 33°, extended an invitation from the Toronto Bodies to hold the Annual Session in Toronto in the year 1970, with the formal Opening on Tuesday, September 8th. On motion, this invitation was warmly accepted.

The Report of the Special Committee on the Advancement of the Rite was then read by Ill. Bro. Howard B. Moore, 33°, a member of the Committee, at the request of Ill. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw, 33°, the Chairman.

There followed a general discussion on various matters in the report, particularly the need of an adequate liaison between the Constituent Bodies and the Supreme Council. It was further suggested that portions of this report be included in the next issue of "The Supreme Councillor". On motion of Ill. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw, 33°, seconded by Ill. Bro. H. B. Moore, 33°, the report was received.

It was also moved by Ill. Bro. George A. Wilson, 33°, seconded by Ill. Bro. Donald M. Fleming, 33°, that the Committee: (a) be thanked for its valuable and challenging report on this most important subject and (b) be requested, in consultation with the Illustrious Deputies, to study further and recommend specific measures and programme to advance the Rite and its effectiveness.

The Executive Session then closed at 9:55 p.m.

FIFTH EXECUTIVE SESSION
MONDAY AFTERNOON, SEPTEMBER 13th, 1965

After luncheon for the Active Members and guests, an Executive Session was called to order at 2:00 p.m., when final arrangements were made for the Vesper Service and the Sovereign Grand Commander's Dinner this evening.

The Report of the Special Committee on General Fiscal Policies was then presented by the Chairman, Ill. Bro. Howard B. Moore, 33°. Although this report was a consolidation of the two previous reports, considerable discussion ensued as to various features. On motion of Ill. Bro. Moore, seconded by Ill. Bro. H. A. Vallieres, 33°, the report, together with a Resolution for the carrying out of various recommendations in the report, was adopted. This Report will be printed in full in the Proceedings after adoption in General Session, and copies will be available for the Active and Past Active Members.

This Executive Session was adjourned at 2:30 p.m. in order that the Members might attend the rehearsal of the 33°.

VESPER SERVICE

An excellent attendance of Members of Supreme Council and their ladies and a large number of Montreal Brethren appeared to give general approval for this year's Vesper Service which was held on Monday afternoon, September 13th.

The Service was conducted by Canon Dudley F. Kemp, the Rector of St. George's Church, assisted by the organist, F. Gordon Phillips, M.A., and the choir. Our Sovereign Grand Commander, Ill. Bro. George C. Derby read the Lesson, and the Right Reverend Frederick H. Wilkinson, M.A., D.D., D.C.L., LL.D., Lord Bishop of Toronto, gave the Address "The Vision of the City of God".

The Order of Service follows :

Organ Prelude—Prelude on Rhosymedre

R. Vaughan Williams

Processional of Sovereign Grand Inspectors-General 33°

Hymn—Praise, my soul, the King of Heaven

Scripture Reading—Psalm 96:9

The General Confession

Collect for the Twenty-first Sunday after Trinity

The Lord's Prayer

Psalm 27—Read responsively.

Canon Dudley F. Kemp, Rector

Choir—Non Nobis, Domine Roger Quilter

The Lesson St. Matthew 7:7-29

George C. Derby, 33°

Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander

The Prayers—Prayer for Her Majesty the Queen

Prayer for Peace

Prayer for Christian Unity

The General Thanksgiving

Hymn—Praise the Lord ye heavens, adore Him.

Address—The Right Reverend Frederick H. Wilkinson

M.A., D.D., D.C.L., LL.D., 33°

Lord Bishop of Toronto

“The Vision of the City of God”

The Offering

Hymn—Lord, as to Thy dear Cross we flee,

Prayers

Benediction

Hymn—All creatures of our God and King

Organ Postlude—Trumpet Voluntary John Stanley

SOVEREIGN GRAND COMMANDER'S DINNER

The Brethren gathered in the Marquette Room of the Queen Elizabeth Hotel on Monday evening at 6:45 for the Sovereign Grand Commander's Dinner. At the same time the ladies were served dinner in the Joliet Room. Ill. Bro. G. C. Derby, 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander, acted as Chairman, welcoming all present together with our guests, Ill. Bro. Luther A. Smith, 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Southern Jurisdiction, U.S.A., Ill. Bro. George E. Bushnell, 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, U.S.A., Ill. Bro. Roberto Korkowski, 33°, Grand Chancellor of the Supreme Council of Mexico and Ill. Bro. Felix A. Lenhart, 33°, Active Member of the Supreme Council of France. After short replies from Ill. Bros. Smith and Bushnell, bringing greetings of their Supreme Councils, the Sovereign Grand Commander instructed Ill. Bros. C. H. Cunningham, 33°, and J. McL. Marshall, 33°, to visit the Ladies' Dinner to convey the greetings of the Brethren to the ladies. These brethren subsequently returned bringing greetings from the ladies.

During their absence the brethren were entertained by Mr. Jan Simons, a leading Baritone soloist in Montreal.

Ill. Bro. H. B. Moore, 33°, on behalf of Supreme Council, then presented to Ill. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw, 33°, the Immediate Past Grand Commander, a token gift of Supreme Council cuff-links, together with a cheque with strict instructions to purchase a gift suitable to himself and Mrs. Berkinshaw. Ill. Bro. Moore stressed the appreciation of Supreme Council for Ill. Bro. Berkinshaw's many services over so many years and his zeal in all matters respecting Scottish Rite Masonry. These remarks were applauded by the brethren and Ill. Bro. Berkinshaw in replying expressed his thanks for the presentation, pledging his continued support to Supreme Council.

Those brethren designated to receive the 33° at this Session were also in attendance at the Dinner, being seated at a special table presided over by Ill. Bro. C. H. Cunningham, 33°, Lieut. Grand Commander. Ill. Bro. Cunningham then introduced each one of the designates.

The Sovereign Grand Commander closed the Dinner meeting with due warning of the General Session to commence at 10:00 a.m., on the following day.

FORMAL OPENING, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14th, 1965

The Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada assembled in Annual Session at 10:00 a.m. in the MacKenzie Room of the Queen Elizabeth Hotel, Montreal, Quebec, with the M.:P.:Sovereign Grand Commander, Ill.:Bro.:George C. Derby, 33°, presiding. The Sovereign Grand Commander opened Supreme Council in full ceremonial form and the roll showed 1 Past Sovereign Grand Commander, 29 Active Members and 3 Past Active Members registered.

REGISTRATION

The Grand Secretary-General reported Officers, Members and Guests registered as follows:

OFFICERS

George C. Derby, M.:P.:Sovereign Grand Commander.
Charles H. Cunningham, P.:Lieut.:Grand Commander.
James McL. Marshall, Ill.:Grand Chancellor.
Herbert B. Jackson, Ill.:Deputy for Ontario.
William A. Jones, Ill.:Deputy for Ontario.
Donald L. Witter, Ill.:Deputy for Quebec.
Kenneth R. Nelson, Ill.:Deputy for New Brunswick.
T. M. Sieniewicz, Ill.:Deputy for Nova Scotia, P.E.I. and Newfoundland.
George A. Wilson, Ill.:Deputy for Manitoba.
William A. Henry, Ill.:Deputy for Alberta.
D. A. Roy McCannel, Ill.:Deputy for Saskatchewan.
George C. Derby, Ill.:Deputy for British Columbia.
Wilbert G. Welby, Ill.:Grand Secretary-General, H.:E.:.
R. Coulton Berkinshaw, Ill.:Grand Treasurer-General, H.:E.:.
William L. Wright, Ill.:Grand Prior.
E. Macaulay Dillon, Ill.:Grand Master of Ceremonies.
Walter C. McDonald, Ill.:Grand Marshal.
Robert M. Stanton, Ill.:Grand Captain of the Guard.

PAST SOVEREIGN GRAND COMMANDERS

R. Coulton Berkinshaw.

Ralph H. Rutherford (Hon.) Ill.:Asst. Grand Secretary-General.

SOVEREIGN GRAND INSPECTORS-GENERAL ACTIVE MEMBERS

Roy W. Austin
Frederick E. Belsham
Charles J. Boyle
Donald M. Fleming
J. Herbert Forbes
Walter H. Gibson
Reginald C. Hodsman

G. Fred Kingsmill
Howard B. Moore
Arthur L. Scace
Henry A. Vallieres
Frederic J. Veale
Reginald F. Wright

PAST ACTIVE MEMBERS

Bernard V. Atkinson Reginald V. Harris Harry E. Howard

INSPECTORS-GENERAL, 33° HONORARY MEMBERS

Cyrus J. Allison
Cuthbert W. Andrews
Clarence A. Auld
Norman T. Avard
Charles F. Ayerst
Gordon M. Barrie
Frank H. Bartrum
Herman W. Bauer
C. Bruce Bell
M. H. Bingeman
W. Arthur Blackburn
George E. Blake
George A. Blakney
John Booth
D. E. Bothwell
Charles S. Boyd
Pieter Bregman
H. E. Britton
J. Travice Broadbent
Charles E. Brotherton
Cecil R. Brown
James U. Brown
Carl S. Browne
A. J. Buchanan
W. Gordon Bunker
George H. Burke
H. Arthur Burleigh

John M. Burnett
Earle S. Burrows
Hugh M. Cairney
Ernest J. Call
Alexander Campbell
William B. Cannon
William J. Carson
Walter A. Carveth
Frederick M. Cass
Frank G. Chandler
C. Leslie Chittick
Ryerson M. Christie
G. Erle Cornell
E. C. A. Crawford
J. J. Creighton
S. Stuart Crouch
John H. Cuddie
William A. Curran
Frederick C. Curry
Ronald J. Curry
Fred M. Darker
V. D. Davidson
H. Norman Davis
T. Arthur Dawson
John A. Dewart
Horace B. Dickey
Charles D. Dickison

Harvey R. Doane	A. E. MacGregor
Ross L. Dobbin	F. Scott MacKenzie
T. J. Donnelly	C. Frederick MacKewn
B. E. Easton	George A. Martin
Rufus W. Ellison	William G. Martin
A. Howard Felt	Warren J. Maxwell
Leonard E. Fenn	T. M. Mayberry
William L. Ferguson	John McDonald
Arthur B. Finnie	D. A. McInnis
G. M. FitzGerald	Duncan McIntyre
Everon Flath	Alex. H. McKee
E. A. Gardner	W. A. McKnight
J. T. George	John P. Melvin
William D. Graham	A. J. B. Milborne
W. Paul Graham	David J. Miller
George F. Grinyer	Allan M. Mills
Donald J. Gunn	Harry Minchinton
J. Edward Hastie	E. H. Mitchell
Hugh J. Heasley	F. John Mitchell
Cecil J. Hill	J. Melvin Moffatt
James D. Hill	J. H. Morgan
Albert Hinton	W. H. Mortlock
W. H. Hobbs	C. S. Neilson
Frederick F. Homuth	George A. Newport
M. Cleeve Hooper	Walter S. Owen
E. P. Hoover	T. M. Palmer
E. A. Horswill	Ralph T. Pearson
James S. Hoyt	Rae R. Porteous
George B. Ingraham	B. H. Price
George E. A. Jacob	Maxwell C. Purvis
Henry S. Jevons	George M. Quackenbush
Lockhart Johnston	Robert J. Rankin
William D. Johnston	Garnet S. L. Retallack
D. Roy Kennedy	Lionel J. Robb
J. Palmer Kent	D. S. Robertson
T. Ashmore Kidd	N. Roy Robertson
J. Harold Kidd	Kenneth M. Robinson
W. Ralph Kinsman	George S. Rogers
W. Harry Kipp	John B. Sainsbury
Frank G. Lamont	Frederick Sangster
T. Jack Lees	Charles A. Sankey
A. C. Lemmon	Ross Scott
G. Harvey Linklater	J. A. Scythes
Birkett Lishman	Edward C. Shepherd
A. A. MacDonald	Harold A. Shiach

G. F. Simpson
 Peter A. Sinclair
 Bent L. Skidmore
 T. D. Slater
 Frank Smallman
 Norman S. Smith
 S. Stanley Smith
 Warren L. Smith
 Donald A. Somerville
 W. Stanley Stabler
 J. E. Stackhouse
 Harry M. Standish
 George R. Sterling
 William J. Strachan
 William G. Strong
 Stanley C. Sudden
 H. E. Sullivan
 David M. Taylor
 W. J. L. Taylor

J. T. Thompson
 A. Edward Thurlow
 Thomas G. C. Tichborne
 James V. Trebell
 George E. Turner
 William Tyre
 Frank L. Ullman
 O. T. Walker
 Walter M. Walker
 S. Y. Walsh
 Nelson E. Weakley
 H. R. Wellington
 Geoffrey A. Wheable
 Gordon J. Whitney
 F. H. Wilkinson
 Thomas L. Wilson
 J. Sidney Winters
 William Worwood
 Charles P. Wright

SOUTHERN JURISDICTION, U.S.A.

Luther A. Smith, Sovereign Grand Commander.
 John B. Tomhave, S. G. I. G. in Minnesota.
 Nelson C. Bledsoe, S. G. I. G. in Arizona.
 Maxwell E. Gibson (Hon.)

NORTHERN MASONIC JURISDICTION, U.S.A.

George E. Bushnell, Sovereign Grand Commander.
 Irving E. Partridge, Deputy for Connecticut.
 Waldron C. Biggs, Deputy for Vermont.

MEXICO

Roberto Korkowski, Grand Chancellor.

FRANCE

Felix A. Lenhart

REGRETS

ACTIVE MEMBERS

Clyde S. Clancy
 Douglas Fraser

Robert A. B. Wootton

PAST ACTIVE MEMBERS

Arthur Cross	Alex. G. Storie
Carroll N. Simpson	and ten Honorary Members

SOUTHERN JURISDICTION, U.S.A.

Claud F. Young, Grand Secretary-General	Joseph W. Seacrest
Fred W. Clarke	Joshua K. Shepherd
Henry C. Clausen	Frank H. Thompson
Edgar Cordell Powers	Charles E. Webber

NORTHERN MASONIC JURISDICTION, U.S.A.

George A. Newbury, Grand Lieut. Commander.	
Herbert N. Faulkner, Grand Secretary-General.	
Norris G. Abbott, Jr.	William H. Pangburn, Jr.
John W. Barkley	Albert P. Ruerat
William H. Cantwell	John H. Schneider
Noah J. Frey	Frederick H. Stigale, Jr.
Richard A. Kern	William E. Yeager
Scott S. Leiby	

ENGLAND

Robert L. Loyd, Sovereign Grand Commander.
Sir Donald Makgill, Grand Secretary-General.

IRELAND

Sir Basil A. T. McFarland, Sovereign Grand Commander.

SCOTLAND

Rt. Hon. The Lord Macdonald, Sovereign Grand Commander.
Robert Burnett, Grand Secretary-General.

FRANCE

Charles Riandey, Sovereign Grand Commander.

THE PHILIPPINES

Conrado Benitez, Sovereign Grand Commander.
Jose C. Velo, Grand Secretary-General.
Frederic H. Stevens.

BELGIUM

Raoul Berteaux, Sovereign Grand Commander.

The Sovereign Grand Commander, Ill. Bro. Derby, extended greetings and welcomed all present, with the expectation that this Session would be a successful one and noting the excellent accommodation provided for the meetings.

The Minutes of the Annual Session of 1964 having been printed and distributed to all Members were, on motion, taken as read and confirmed.

Supreme Council was then called off in the 33° and declared open in the 14° when members of Constituent Bodies were admitted.

PRESENTATION OF DISTINGUISHED GUESTS

Ill. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw, 33°, introduced Ill. Bro. Luther A. Smith, 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Southern Jurisdiction, U.S.A., who was accompanied by Ill. Bro. John B. Tomhave, 33°, and Ill. Bro. Nelson C. Bledsoe, 33°, Active Members of his Supreme Council; also Ill. Bro. George E. Bushnell, 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, U.S.A., accompanied by Ill. Bro. Irving E. Partridge, 33°, and Ill. Bro. Waldron C. Biggs, 33°, Active Members of his Supreme Council; and Ill. Bro. Felix A. Lenhart, 33°, Active Member of the Supreme Council of France. Ill. Bro. W. A. Jones, 33°, introduced Ill. Bro. Roberto Korowski, 33°, Grand Chancellor of the Supreme Council of Mexico.

The Sovereign Grand Commander gave a warm welcome to these Illustrious guests and invited them to seats in the East.

MONTREAL WELCOME

Ill. Bro. Egerton Brown, 32°, then introduced Councillor John Lynch-Stanton of Montreal. Councillor Lynch-Stanton on behalf of the Mayor of Montreal, who was unable

to be present, extended a hearty welcome on behalf of the City to our Supreme Council, hoping that Council would have a successful Session. After offering the Council any further considerations required, Councillor Lynch-Stanton retired.

Ill.:Bro.:J. McL. Marshall, 33°, then introduced Ill.:Bro.:Henry A. Vallieres, 33°, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Quebec, who, after receiving the gavel gave a short acknowledgment of the welcome with greetings from the brethren in Quebec. Ill.:Bro.:Vallieres then returned the gavel to the Sovereign Grand Commander.

Ill.:Bro.:D. L. Witter, 33°, presented Ill.:Bro.:H. C. Sturgess, 32°, the Commander-in-Chief of Montreal Sovereign Consistory; Ill.:Bro.:B. S. Hastings, 32°, Most Wise Sovereign of Hochelaga Sovereign Chapter of Rose Croix, and Ill.:Bro.:F. C. McMillan, 32°, Thrice Puissant Grand Master of Hochelaga Grand Lodge of Perfection. Ill.:Bro.:Sturgess, on behalf of the Montreal Bodies, welcomed Supreme Council to this Session in Montreal with pledges of support. The Sovereign Grand Commander acknowledged the welcome and voiced the appreciation of Supreme Council for the arrangements made by the Montreal Bodies.

The Grand Marshal, Ill.:Bro.:Walter C. McDonald, 33°, then presented the Grand Representatives of Foreign Jurisdictions near our Supreme Council, who were welcomed by the Sovereign Grand Commander. Ill.:Bro.:C. H. Cunningham, 33°, responded on behalf of all the Representatives.

RECEPTIONS

The following heads of concordant Orders and Rites were introduced and greeted by the Sovereign Grand Commander:

GRAND LODGES:

New Brunswick	Ill.:Bro.:James S. Hoyt, 33°
Nova Scotia	
Prince Edward Island	Ill.:Bro.:T. Arthur Dawson, 33°
Quebec	Ill.:Bro.:Henry A. Vallieres, 33°
Ontario	Ill.:Bro.:William L. Wright, 33°
Manitoba	Ill.:Bro.:Walter C. McDonald, 33°

Saskatchewan	Ill.:Bro.:Reginald C.Hodsman,33°
Alberta	Ill.:Bro.:Harry E. Howard, 33°
British Columbia	Ill.:Bro.:David M. Taylor, 33°

GRAND CHAPTERS:

Nova Scotia	Ill.:Bro.:James S. Hoyt, 33°
Prince Edward Island	Ill.:Bro.:Reginald V. Harris, 33°

SOVEREIGN GREAT PRIORY:

Ill.:Bro.:Reginald V. Harris, 33°

RED CROSS OF CONSTANTINE:

Ill.:Bro.:Harry E. Howard, 33°

ROYAL ORDER OF SCOTLAND:

New Brunswick	Ill.:Bro.:Victor D. Davidson, 33°
Nova Scotia	Ill.:Bro.:T. M. Sieniewicz, 33°
Quebec	Ill.:Bro.:A. J. B. Milborne, 33°
Ontario	Ill.:Bro.:C. H. Cunningham, 33°
Saskatchewan	Ill.:Bro.:D. A. R. McCannel, 33°
Alberta	Ill.:Bro.:Harry E. Howard, 33°

These brethren were welcomed by the Sovereign Grand Commander, who requested them as Representatives of the various Concordant Orders to convey to the Grand Lodges and other Bodies the greetings and regards of our Supreme Council.

The Sovereign Grand Commander then presented his Allocution as follows:

THE ALLOCUTION OF THE SOVEREIGN GRAND COMMANDER

Peers and Brethren:

Once again we are privileged to meet in this lovely City of Montreal. This will be the 38th Meeting of this Supreme Council to be held in this City and its 91st Annual Session. It was in this City on October 5th, 1937, that I was admitted as an Honorary Member, 33°. So you will, I am sure, appreciate my deep feelings in returning here as your Sovereign Grand Commander more especially when we remember that the last time we met in Montreal we had as our Sovereign Grand Commander, the late Ill. Bro. Clarence MacL. Pitts, 33°, and who on that occasion paid high tribute to the Brethren of the Province of Quebec and particularly of the City of Montreal. I shall, therefore, refrain from attempting to tell you of the beauties and the prominent features of this lovely city, as the Committee who have arranged for our comforts and entertainment while here, will, I know, have arranged for you to see for yourselves the various historical points of interest.

It has been my privilege with our Illustrious Brother Grand Secretary-General, W. G. Welby, 33°, and Ill. Bro. Ralph H. Rutherford, 33°, Assistant Grand Secretary-General, to review with Ill. Bro. Donald L. Witter, 33°, Deputy for Quebec, and his Committee, the arrangements they have made for our comfort at this communication, and I wish to thank them for the excellency of their arrangements, which, I am sure, you will all appreciate. We are fortunate in having as our Deputy for Quebec a Brother of outstanding ability.

When I was Installed as your M. P. Sovereign Grand Commander in Ottawa a year ago, I was strengthened by the fact of having the support and wise counsel of my immediate predecessor M. P. Bro. R. Coulton Berkinshaw, 33° and the three other Past Sovereign Grand Commanders in the persons of M. P. Bro. Douglas Fraser, 33°; M. P. Bro. T. K. Wade, 33°, and M. P. Bro. C. MacL. Pitts, 33°. With Brethren of such outstanding ability and knowledge to consult and from whom to seek advice and counsel, I was confident that I would be able to carry out the duties and responsibilities of the Office. However, as you are all aware, the G.A.O.T.U. in His wisdom has removed two of

these Illustrious Brethren from our midst, and I have missed them sorely. This has meant that I have had to lean rather heavily on M. P. Bro. Berkinshaw who has been of tremendous assistance to me.

When last we met in Montreal in 1953, our Sovereign Grand Commander, Ill. Bro. Pitts was pleased to receive as the Representative of the Mayor, his own brother Gordon MacLeod Pitts, 32°, Vice-Chairman of the Executive Committee of the City of Montreal. A most unique occasion and one which many of those present here today will ever remember as both these Brethren have since passed to the Grand Lodge above.

VISITORS:

We are again favored in having with us so many distinguished visitors from other Jurisdictions and to all of these, I extend a most cordial fraternal welcome and we would ask them to convey to their various Supreme Councils our most sincere fraternal greetings and to their ladies we extend our warmest welcome and trust their visit to us will give them a large measure of happiness and that they will take with them fond memories of their visit with us.

The past year has greatly increased my knowledge of the tremendous responsibilities and opportunities for service to mankind which Scottish Rite Masonry affords. We, who are privileged to give leadership in this great work are constantly conscious of those duties which leadership demands, and I am extremely grateful to those Brethren who have been my advisers and aide.

I should like also, to extend to the other Supreme Councils with whom we are in amity my sincere thanks for their hearty co-operation throughout the year. I may be forgiven for especially referring to the Southern and Northern Jurisdictions of the United States of America, which by reason of our proximity have brought us together in many of the problems of the past year and in which Grand Commander Smith of the Southern Jurisdiction has afforded us very outstanding leadership.

Owing to conditions which have developed in other parts of the world in Scottish Rite Masonry it has been necessary for the North American Supreme Councils to be constantly and continuously in communication. I feel that I should

refrain from making any further comment on these conditions at the present time except to say that they show signs of steady improvement. Be assured my Brethren that your Supreme Council is held in high esteem by the other Supreme Councils of the world.

I was disappointed last year when I was unable to accept the invitation to attend the Annual Meeting of the Supreme Council of the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction but was very ably represented by Ill. Bro. Berkinshaw and our Lieut. Grand Commander, Ill. Bro. Cunningham. It is my intention to attend the Annual Session of the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction later this month and the Biennial Session of the Southern Jurisdiction in Washington this October.

We, who are privileged to attend this 91st Annual Session of our Supreme Council are happy to again express our deep affection and abiding loyalty to our beloved Sovereign, Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II, who by her example of devotion and fidelity to her tremendous responsibilities has been a source of inspiration to her subjects—God save our Gracious Queen and may she be granted a long life to reign over us.

With the passing of Past Sovereign Grand Commander, Ill. Bro. C. MacL. Pitts, 33°, who was the Grand Representative of the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction of the U.S.A., Sovereign Grand Commander Bushnell requested me to accept the appointment of Grand Representative of that Supreme Council near our own. This appointment I was honored to accept.

NECROLOGY:

Since last we met, this Supreme Council has had taken from it some of our most highly esteemed and beloved of its Members, and I feel that you will all understand and agree with me when I first refer to two of our Past Sovereign Grand Commanders, Ill. Bro. Thomas K. Wade, 33°, and Ill. Bro. Clarence MacL. Pitts, 33°, whose services to Freemasonry in general and this Supreme Council in particular, were so outstanding. I shall not attempt here to record their many outstanding contributions as Freemasons and leaders in the Scottish Rite.

One other member of our Supreme Council whom we dearly loved and grievously miss is Ill.^o.Bro.^o.Hugh M. Dunlop, 33^o, who at the time of his passing was our Grand Marshal. His passing is deeply mourned by all who knew him.

The record of these men is well known throughout the world and any attempt of mine to convey how dearly they were loved and respected would be altogether inadequate. "Virtus Junxit Mors Non Separabit".

The following is a complete listing of our Illustrious Brethren who have passed away.

Sovereign Grand Inspectors-General:

- Hugh Macdonald Dunlop, 33^o, Ancaster, Ont.
Died January 15, 1965.
- Thomas Kingsmill Wade, 33^o, Toronto, Ont.
Died January 20, 1965.
- Clarence MacLeod Pitts, 33^o, Ottawa, Ont.
Died April 10, 1965.

Honorary Inspectors-General:

- George Oliver Cameron, 33^o, Barrie, Ont.
Died November 19, 1964.
- Willard Bruce Riddell, 33^o, Hamilton, Ont.
Died December 6, 1964.
- Frederick Harold Blythe, 33^o, Winnipeg, Man.
Died January 2, 1965.
- Thomas Henry Williams, 33^o, Victoria, B.C.
Died January 31, 1965.
- Clifford Flohr Jubien, 33^o, Halifax, N.S.
Died February 1, 1965.
- George Bliss Beaumont, 33^o, North Bay, Ont.
Died March 7, 1965.
- Charles Walter Murray, 33^o, Vancouver, B.C.
Died April 3, 1965.
- Charles Howland Crandon, 33^o, Saskatoon, Sask.
Died April 13, 1965.
- Charles MacKenzie Wallace, 33^o, Oshawa, Ont.
Died April 18, 1965.
- Albert Philippe Louis Goering, 33^o, Hamilton, Ont.
Died April 19, 1965.
- William Scott, 33^o, Saskatoon, Sask.
Died May 6, 1965.

Robert Swinton, 33°, Orillia, Ont.

Died May 12, 1965.

Kenneth William MacDonald, 33°, Preston, Ont.

Died May 28, 1965.

George Edward Morrison Hunter, 33°, Toronto, Ont.

Died June 1, 1965.

Oliver Martin Prentice, 33°, Victoria, B.C.

Died June 3, 1965.

Walter Elwood Cumming, 33°, Parry Sound, Ont.

Died July 26, 1965.

James Hanna Ness, 33°, Toronto, Ont.

Died September 13, 1965.

Suitable memorials of these Brethren have been prepared for inclusion in the printed Proceedings of this Annual Session.

We also record the death of Ill. Bro. Alexander Burton Lucas, 32°, of London, Ontario, who died January 3, 1965. Bro. Lucas was expected to be present to be Coroneted at the current Session.

We lament the passing of these Brethren from our midst and offer our deepest sympathy to their loved ones and the Bodies of the Rite which they served with distinction.

Reports have been received during the past year advising of the decease of the following members in Sister Jurisdictions:

ENGLAND:

Frank Carlile Kidd, 33°, Grand Captain General

Died November 20, 1964.

THE PHILIPPINES:

Francisco Afan Delgado, 33°, Ven. Lieut. Grand

Died October 27, 1964, at Manila. Commander

Ildefonso Santos Reyes, 33°, Grand Master of

Died January 30, 1965. Ceremonies

NORTHERN MASONIC JURISDICTION, U.S.A.:

Orrin E. Boyle, 33°, Active Member

Died December 15, 1964.

ARGENTINE REPUBLIC:

Jose Lazare, 33°, Active Member

Died October 28, 1964.

GREECE :

Basil Krimbas, 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander,
Died January 11, 1965.

HONDURAS :

Tiburcio Guerrero Diaz, 33°,
Died December 11, 1964.
Abraham Bueso Pineda, 33°,
Died April 22, 1965.

CHILE :

Orestes Froedden Lorenzen, 33°,
Died April 3, 1965.

VENEZUELA :

Dr. Buenaventura Briceno Belisario, 33°,
Died May 14, 1965.

SWITZERLAND :

Carl Flubacher, 33°,
Died June 21, 1965.

THE NETHERLANDS :

Gustaaf Adolf Maurite Hondius Van Herwerden, 33°,
Grand Secretary-General, and our Grand
Died June 22, 1965. Representative

MEXICO :

Francisco Jose Lopez, 33°,
Died February 11, 1965.
Jose Lopez Lira, 33°,
Died February 18, 1965.

MEMBERS :

We record the following losses through death amongst
the membership of the Scottish Rite in Canada :

		(1963-64)
Lodges of Perfection	669	619
Chapters of Rose Croix	506	474
Consistories	336	314

To the families and friends of these our departed
Brethren, the members of this Supreme Council extend their
sincerest sympathy.

My Brethren, let us rise and stand for a moment in
silence in memory of these Brethren who have passed from
our midst.

OFFICIAL VISITS :

Sept. 9 Elected and Installed as M.:P.:Sovereign Grand Commander.

Sept. 10 Had a meeting of Deputies and other Officers including Ill.:Bro.:C. H. Cunningham, Lieut.:Grand Commander; Ill.:Bro.:W. G. Welby, Grand Secretary-General and Ill.:Bro.:R. Coulton Berkinshaw, Imm. Past Sovereign Grand Commander, in the Chateau Laurier.

Sept. 11 Went by T.C.A. at 7:15 a.m. to Hamilton, where I conferred with Bro.:Cunningham, Lieut.:Gr.:Com-mander; Bro.:Welby, Grand Secretary-General and Bro.:Rutherford, Assistant Grand Secretary-General. In the evening I was taken by car by Bro.:Welby to London where I visited Ill.:Bro.:G. Fred Kingsmill who was in hospital recovering from a leg amputation.

Sept. 12 Left Hamilton by bus on Saturday morning for Toronto and from there to Ottawa by T.C.A. in the evening at 6:10.

Sept. 15 Left Ottawa via C.P.R. for Vancouver, where I arrived at 11:30 a.m., Sept. 18, 1964.

Sept. 26 Travelling by C.P.A. to Prince George, leaving Vancouver at 8:30 a.m., arriving in Prince George at 10:30 a.m., where I was met at the Airport by Sov.: Prince Herb. Assman, Grand Secretary of Cariboo Lodge of Perfection, and taken to Simon Fraser Hotel.

At 5:00 p.m. Cariboo Lodge of Perfection had a social hour in the Prince George Hotel, followed by a Banquet at 6 p.m. Then adjourned to the Lodge Room for the purpose of Constituting and Consecrating Cariboo Lodge of Perfection and Installing the Officers. I presided at the Ceremonies of Constitution and Consecration and Ill.:Bro.:William Tyre, 33°, presided at the Installation of Officers. In all these Ceremonies we were assisted by Honorary Members of Supreme Council and Officers of Lodges from Vancouver, Vernon and Nelson. The Vancouver Brethren had arrived by bus and plane, while the others arrived by car from Vernon and Kelowna. It was a most impressive evening and marked my first Official Visit as Sovereign Grand Commander.

- Sept. 27* Left by C.P.A. for Vancouver, Ill. Bro. Charlie Morrow, 32°, T. P. G. M. of Cariboo Lodge of Perfection, having driven me to the Airport, arriving in Vancouver at 3:30 p.m.
- Oct. 23* Red Cross of Constantine had complimentary Dinner for Mrs. Derby and myself at Shaughnessy Golf Club. Members and Ladies were present and we had a very delightful evening.
- Oct. 24* Fraser Valley Lodge of Perfection was Constituted and Consecrated by Ill. Bro. William Tyre, 33°, and Members of Supreme Council. Reports of a very good Meeting.
- Nov. 6* Ill. Bro. Thomas K. Wade arrived by T.C.A. at 12 noon. Mrs. Derby and I, with the T. P. G. M. of Vancouver Lodge of Perfection, John R. Gittins, 32°, M. W. S. R. W. Wilson, 32° of Rose Croix and W. H. Caldwell, 33°, Ill. Bro. William Tyre, 33° and Ill. Bro. Crawford, 33° and J. Stewart, 33°, Grand Secretary, met him at the Airport.
- Nov. 7* Had discussions with Tom Wade re many matters including France and Australia and in the evening attended a Complimentary Banquet at the Bayshore Hotel. Ill. Bro. Wade, on behalf of the Vancouver Bodies, presented me with a most attractive desk set and Ill. Bro. R. A. B. Wootton, 33°, presented me with a Sovereign Grand Commander's pin. Ill. Bro. Tyre, 33°, presented Mrs. Derby with a beautiful bouquet of roses. This was followed by a very lovely programme.
- Nov. 8* Took Ill. Bro. T. K. Wade, 33°, Grand Treasurer-General, to the Airport for his return to Toronto. We enjoyed his visit very much and I had an opportunity to discuss many matters with him.
- Nov. 20* Left Vancouver at 9:00 a.m. via T.C.A. for Hamilton. Was met at the Airport by Ill. Bro. W. G. Welby, 33°, Grand Secretary-General, and arrived in Hamilton approximately at 6:00 p.m. Was guest of Bro. Welby at the Hamilton Club for dinner and had the opportunity of discussing many things with him.
- Nov. 21* Was joined for breakfast by Ill. Bro. Clarie Pitts, after which we were picked up by Ill. Bro. Welby and taken to the Office of the Rite, where we

had a long discussion on many matters. Taking part in discussion was Ill. Bro. C. MacL. Pitts, Ill. Bro. T. K. Wade, Ill. Bro. C. H. Cunningham and Ill. Bro. R. H. Rutherford. Also present were Ill. Bros. Jones and Jackson, Deputies for Ontario. Our discussions had to do with arrangements for the Meeting in Montreal; arrangements for paying Mrs. Winona Sanford as my Secretary in Vancouver; paying rent to the Alcoholism Foundation and many routine matters. Also, had discussions with Ill. Bro. Walter Gibson re the Committee on the Foundation and gave him letter from the Canadian Mental Health Association to answer direct. Also, discussed the advisability of changing our fiscal year from July 31, as per Article 36-2, to June 30 — Ill. Bro. T. K. Wade to give Notice of Motion accordingly. We adjourned to the Scottish Rite Club where we were joined by Ontario Active Members of Supreme Council and after a nice lunch we had a very free and frank discussion re many matters among which were:

1. Allowance for attendance at Supreme Council. I re-appointed a Committee to bring in a report re this. Ill. Bro. C. M. Pitts, Chairman; Members Ill. Bros. C. S. Clancy and T. K. Wade.
2. We then had a long discussion re conditions (Masonically) in France, Australia and Spain.

This was a very worthwhile meeting as so many Actives plus our three Past Sovereign Grand Commanders were present. After we adjourned our meeting we joined with the Officers and Members of the Royal Order of Scotland (Ontario G.L.) when Sir Knight Hugh M. Dunlop was Installed as Provincial Grand Master of Ontario in succession to Sir Knight G. Fred Kingsmill. Sir Knight Kingsmill was present at all meetings. When this meeting was adjourned, we went to the dining room where we had a very enjoyable dinner, followed by a few speeches.

Nov. 22 I left for Vancouver at 4:10 p.m. on T.C.A., arriving in Vancouver at 7:30 p.m.

Dec. 11 Paid my first Official Visit as Sovereign Grand Commander to Vancouver Lodge of Perfection.

Dec. 15 Had Ill. Bro. E. G. MacDougall Install Officers of British Columbia Consistory.

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Jan. 12 Left Vancouver by train for Montreal, where we arrived the evening of Friday, January 15, where we were joined by Ill. Bro. C. M. Pitts, 33°, and where we remained until Saturday evening, January 16, when we left by train for New York City, arriving there on Sunday morning, January 17. We were in New York until Wednesday morning, January 20, where we embarked on the "Empress of Canada" for a cruise in the Caribbean, lasting sixteen days. Our travelling companions were Ill. Bro. Clarence MacL. Pitts, Past Sovereign Grand Commander, and Mrs. Gordon Pitts of Montreal.

M.W. Grand Master, C. Fuller Dorr, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Michigan, accompanied by Mrs. Dorr, and several distinguished Freemasons of the Grand Lodge of Michigan and their ladies were on the cruise and were kind enough to make me an Affiliate of Atlantic Lodge U.D. We had many delightful meetings both on shipboard and ashore in the many islands we visited during the cruise and we visited a number of Lodges and were royally entertained by the many Masons in the various ports of call. I should like to especially mention the many kindnesses of R.W. Bro. J. Fairbairn Smith, Cruise Chairman, and his lovely wife. We arrived back in New York on Thursday, February 4, at 9:00 a.m., where we parted company with our Michigan Brethren and their ladies. A cruise to be long remembered.

Feb. 4-5 We were in New York where Ill. Bro. Pitts was our host in visiting a number of shows and outstanding points of interest in that great city. We left New York on the night of February 6, arriving in Montreal, Sunday morning, February 7, in time to attend St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, after which Ill. Bro. Pitts returned to Ottawa. Ill. Bro. Donald L. Witter, 33°, Deputy for Quebec, was most attentive to our comfort both when we arrived in Montreal on our way to New York and on our return. Both he and Mrs. Witter were very excellent in their provision for our comfort and together they looked after us most acceptably. We were joined in Montreal by Ill. Bro. W. G. Welby, 33°, Grand Secretary-General and Ill. Bro. R. H. Rutherford, 33°, Assistant Grand Secretary-General, and on

Monday, February 8, we met with the officials of The Queen Elizabeth Hotel to discuss arrangements for the Meeting of Supreme Council in September.

Feb. 8 Accompanied by Ill. Bro. Witter, Deputy for Quebec, and several Active, Past Active and Honorary Members of Supreme Council, I paid an Official Visit to Hochelaga Lodge of Perfection, where I received a very excellent reception and enjoyed fully both the meeting of the Lodge and the very fine reception which followed, at which I spoke.

The 14° was conferred by the T. P. G. M. and the regular Officers of the Lodge assisted by the Active and Honorary Members of Supreme Council members of Hochelaga Lodge of Perfection, altogether my visit to Hochelaga Lodge was a very inspiring one.

Feb. 9 We took the train for Ottawa and then to Toronto, where I met with Ill. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw, 33°, and discussed the affairs of Supreme Council. Then returned to Vancouver by train.

April 15 Maundy Thursday, I met with the Brethren of Vancouver Chapter of Rose Croix in the Hotel Vancouver, where the Feast of the Passover was celebrated in a very acceptable manner, followed by the Extinguishing of the Lights.

April 18 I attended the re-lighting of the Lights by the Vancouver Chapter of Rose Croix which was followed by a very impressive Easter Address by Ill. Bro. Mussalen, 32°, of the Vancouver Chapter of Rose Croix.

April 25 Together with Mrs. Derby, I left Vancouver on Air Canada arriving in Toronto International Airport at 4:20 p.m., where we were met by Ill. Bro. and Mrs. Berkinshaw and Ill. Bro. and Mrs. F. J. Veale. This afforded me an opportunity of discussing with Ill. Bro. Berkinshaw a number of subjects of interest to Supreme Council and particularly with regard to the situation in the Supreme Council of France. As Ill. Bro. Berkinshaw was shortly to leave for Europe, he was good enough to volunteer his services in discussing current problems of interest to the Supreme Councils of North America while overseas, both in Europe and England. Ill. Bro. Berkinshaw will be making a report re his visit at this Meeting to Supreme Council.

Ill. Bro. and Mrs. Veale then drove us to Hamilton, where I left Mrs. Derby at the Royal Connaught Hotel and left the next morning from Toronto by Air Canada.

April 26 Arrived in Halifax at 1:10 p.m., and was met at the Airport by Mrs. Sieniewicz, wife of our Illustrious Deputy for Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island and Newfoundland, and taken to the Nova Scotian Hotel in Halifax, where I was later picked up by Ill. Bro. Dr. T. M. Sieniewicz and taken to his home where together with several Officers of the Halifax Bodies, and members of Supreme Council, we had a very pleasant hour as guests of Ill. Bro. and Mrs. Sieniewicz, after which we were taken to Ill. Bro. Sieniewicz's Club for an excellent dinner. We then proceeded to the Masonic Temple where the Commander-in-Chief and his Officers assisted by several Honorary Members of Supreme Council conferred the 32° in a very acceptable and impressive manner.

I then had the pleasure of presenting a "50 Year" Jewel to Ill. Bro. R. V. Harris, 33°. This was a most outstanding occasion for, as you are all aware, Ill. Bro. Harris, 33°, has made, and is still making a very outstanding contribution to Freemasonry in general and Scottish Rite Masonry in particular. We all hope and pray that he will be spared many more years to carry on his outstanding contributions to Masonry and his Church.

April 28 On this date I boarded a plane for Toronto, where I arrived at 12:50 p.m., and was met at the Airport by Ill. Bro. H. B. Jackson, 33°, co-Deputy for Ontario, who took me to Hamilton.

April 29 On this date I travelled to Woodstock where after being the guest of the T. P. G. M. and members of Woodstock Lodge of Perfection at a lovely Dinner. I addressed the Brethren and we adjourned to the Masonic Temple where we spent a very pleasant and profitable evening witnessing the conferring of the 14°. After being received with Masonic Honours, I addressed the Lodge briefly. The Degree was conferred in a very acceptable manner, and I have every reason to believe the candidates were favourably impressed. We returned after the meeting to Hamilton.

April 30 I attended a meeting of the Committee of the Scottish Rite Foundation in Toronto at which the Chairman of the Committee, Ill. Bro. Walter H. Gibson, 33°, presided. This was a very successful meeting and Ill. Bro. Gibson will be making a report re this meeting.

I returned to Hamilton that night.

May 1 Ill. Bro. Welby accompanied by Ill. Bro. H. B. Jackson, took Mrs. Derby and myself to London, where I had a visit with Ill. Bro. G. F. Kingsmill who was still in hospital. I was speaker at a dinner given by the London Lodge of Perfection, and at the meeting held in the evening, I was officially received and witnessed the conferring of the 14°, which was conferred in a very fine manner. The ladies were very kind in their reception for Mrs. Derby. We stayed in London over night and on Sunday morning were taken by Ill. Bro. Fred Kingsmill, Jr., to see his mother and also Mrs. Kingsmill, Jr. at their home. We returned to Hamilton on Sunday night after a lovely drive down the Grand River.

May 3 Ill. Bro. F. J. Mitchell, 33°, and Mrs. Mitchell, drove Mrs. Derby and myself to Barrie, where we were received very warmly and again the ladies looked after Mrs. Derby while I was at a lovely dinner and after which I was received in the Lodge. At the Dinner, I addressed the Brethren and later in the Lodge. The members of this Lodge are doing an excellent job and presented me with a cheque for \$100.00 for the Scottish Rite Foundation. We remained in Barrie over night and Ill. Bro. and Mrs. Mitchell drove us back to Hamilton.

May 4 I attended a Luncheon given by Murton Lodge of Perfection at which Ill. Bro. The Hon. Donald M. Fleming, 33°, was the guest speaker and he delivered a very fine Address which was appreciated by all.

At 8:00 p.m. I was received in full form by the T. P. G. M., Officers and Members of Murton Lodge of Perfection and again witnessed the conferring of the 14° in a most acceptable manner, after which I spoke briefly to the Lodge.

May 5 Ill. Bro. Welby drove Mrs. Derby, Miss Lees and myself out to my home village of Selkirk and then to

Niagara Falls, where we met with the Honorary Members of Supreme Council and a number of the Brethren and their wives. We were guests at a very fine dinner and had an excellent opportunity to discuss the arrangements for the Meeting of Supreme Council in Niagara Falls next year, 1966. We then returned to Hamilton after having spent a lovely day.

May 6 I was pleased to see the Degree work of Moore Sovereign Consistory in the afternoon and at 7:50 p.m., I was received with full honors and then witnessed the conferring of the 21° by a Cast of Toronto members. The members of the Cast consisted of members from Supreme Council. All in all it was a most inspiring experience. At this meeting I spoke briefly as I had been asked to speak at the Luncheon next day, this I did after which I attended the dedication of the Memorial Elevator and Tower, which was carried out in a very impressive manner.

May 8 I again attended the Consistory Reunion and witnessed the conferring of the 30°, 31° and 32°, and the portrayal of the Military Allegory. All this work was done in a most impressive manner and demonstrated the impressive way in which these degrees can be conferred under such fine surroundings.

May 9 I was privileged to attend the 11:00 a.m. Service of Central Presbyterian Church, where the Minister is the Rev. Dr. Ill. Bro. A. Lorne MacKay, 32°, and is Junior Grand Warden of Murton Lodge of Perfection. This was a very warming experience and after the Service we had a very lovely luncheon at the home of Ill. Bro. and Mrs. Ralph Rutherford. Here we were again pleased to have a further opportunity of a visit with Ill. Bro. and Mrs. MacKay.

May 10 Ill. Bro. Welby, 33°, drove Mrs. Derby and myself to Toronto where I attended a meeting of the Committee on the Foundation at 10:30 a.m., after which I had lunch with the T. P. G. M., Officers and members of the Toronto Lodge of Perfection and at which there were several members of the Supreme Council present. I spoke briefly to the meeting after having had a very delightful luncheon, while Mrs. Scace and other ladies of Toronto were entertaining Mrs. Derby at a lovely luncheon.

In the afternoon, accompanied by Ill. Bro. W. A. Jones, 33°, we visited and had dinner at the home of P.S.G.C. Ill. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw, 33°, after which the Toronto ladies again entertained Mrs. Derby while we attended the meeting of the Toronto Lodge of Perfection, when the T. P. G. M. and his Officers conferred the 14° in a most acceptable manner. In this they were assisted by a number of Active and Honorary Members of Supreme Council. At the close of the meeting at which I had been received and introduced officially and where I had again addressed those present and more especially the Class, we adjourned to the banquet room where a very pleasant hour was spent. At the meeting of the Toronto Lodge of Perfection, there were a number of Hamilton Brethren present and Ill. Bro. F. J. Mitchell, 33°, Commander-in-Chief of Moore Sovereign Consistory, drove Mrs. Derby and myself back to Hamilton.

This again was an exceedingly pleasant day and evening and was made more so by the Toronto Bodies presenting me with a cheque in the amount of \$5,000.00 to assist the Scottish Rite Foundation. This was forwarded for deposit in the Fund and as this Committee will be reporting at this meeting, I shall resist saying more at this time.

May 11 Ill. Bro. W. G. Welby, 33°, assisted by Ill. Bro. Ralph Rutherford, 33°, (Hon.) Assistant Grand Secretary-General, drove Mrs. Derby and myself to Windsor. We were the guests enroute of Ill. Bro. Walter H. Gibson and Mrs. Gibson at a very lovely luncheon. On arrival in Windsor, we were met by the T. P. G. M. and several Honorary Members and the Officers of Windsor Lodge of Perfection, who had arranged accommodations for us at the Viscount Motor Hotel. The ladies in Windsor were most attentive to the entertainment of Mrs. Derby, and I attended a meeting of the Lodge of Perfection after having enjoyed a lovely dinner, at which I was the speaker. The work of the Lodge was carried out in a very efficient manner and I was very pleased to have among those present, Ill. Bro. J. Fairbairn Smith, 33°, of Detroit, and Ill. Bro. Sidney R. Baxter, 33°, Ass't. to Grand Commander Bushnell, S. G. C. of the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction.

It was a pleasure to again have a visit with these Brethren.

At the close of the meeting we joined with the ladies at a reception, when to my surprise a birthday cake was brought in at midnight, the Brethren having discovered that May 12, was my birthday. Altogether, this was a very happy evening and the Brethren and their ladies made it most pleasurable.

May 12 We returned to Hamilton in time for lunch, after which we were driven by Ill. Bro. F. J. Mitchell and Mrs. Mitchell to Guelph, where again the ladies looked after the comfort of Mrs. Derby and at 4:00 p.m. I was officially received by Bro. D. J. Dearing, T. P. G. M. of Royal City Lodge of Perfection and witnessed the conferring of the 14° in a very able and impressive manner, followed by a Dinner at 7.00 p.m., at which I was the Speaker. We were then invited to the guest house of the University, where a very delightful Reception was held and this was again the occasion of presenting me with another birthday cake. This being the second birthday cake for the day. I appreciate the trouble which was taken to make my birthday a pleasant and memorable one in that I was made an Honorary Life Member of Royal City Lodge of Perfection and Guelph Chapter of Rose Croix. My thanks to the Brethren for so honouring me.

After this very pleasant evening we returned to Hamilton to prepare for departure for Fort William the next day.

May 13 Accompanied by Ill. Bro. H. B. Jackson, 33°, Co-Deputy for Ontario, and Ill. Bro. Ralph Rutherford, we left Malton Airport for Fort William, where we were met at the Airport by the T. P. G. M. of Superior Lodge of Perfection, Ill. Bro. L. B. Davey, 32°, and Ill. Bro. C. J. Boyle, 33°, Active Member of Supreme Council. Again the ladies were most attentive in caring for Mrs. Derby, and I was the Speaker at a Dinner which was held in the Hotel at 6:30 p.m., after which I was received in full form in Superior Lodge of Perfection at 8:30 p.m. The 14° was conferred in a very acceptable manner by the T. P. G. M. and his Officers.

May 14 Spent the day in Fort William visiting.

May 15 Left Fort William for Winnipeg where we arrived at 12:30 p.m. and were met at the Airport by Ill. Bro. George A. Wilson, 33°, Deputy for Manitoba, and Mrs. Wilson.

May 16 Left Winnipeg for Vancouver where we arrived at 8:30 p.m. glad to get home after a very enjoyable visit to many places in Ontario. While enjoyable, the trip was rather a strenuous one but I think it was profitable in that I had opportunities to meet and associate with the Officers and Members of many Lodges and also many Members of Supreme Council.

June 8 I visited the Victoria Lodge of Perfection where I was received officially and witnessed the conferring of the 14°.

Returned to Vancouver on the late plane.

June 14 I attended the annual Reunion of Okanagan Lodge of Perfection in Vernon. On this occasion, I was accompanied by Ill. Bro. Alex. Eastwood, 32°, and Ill. Bro. William Tyre, 33°. After the Annual Dinner at which I was the Speaker, we adjourned to the Lodge room where the T. P. G. M. and his Officers assisted by members of Supreme Council, conferred the 14° in a very acceptable manner.

We returned home on June 15.

June 16 Accompanied by Mrs. Derby, I drove to Kelowna where I met with the Grand Master and Grand Secretary of the M.W. Grand Lodge of British Columbia.

June 17 I attended the Grand Lodge of British Columbia.

June 18 Accompanied by Mrs. Derby, I went by plane to Castlegar, where we were met by Ill. Bro. M. E. Geissinger, 33°, and driven to Nelson where I attended and spoke at the Annual Dinner after which we adjourned to the Lodge room where I was received officially, and witnessed the conferring of the 14° in a very acceptable manner. After the Lodge closed, we were again entertained at a Reception in the Peebles Motor Inn—a most enjoyable evening.

June 19 We were driven by Ill. Bro. Geissinger, 33°, to Trail where we were the guests of the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company, in the guest house. I attended the Lodge in the afternoon and was very pleased to meet a number of Members of Supreme Council who had driven up from Vancouver to attend the meeting. Again, I was privileged to witness the conferring of the 14° in a most efficient manner. After the Lodge was closed, we were the guests of the Lodge at a very fine Dinner, where the ladies were also present and at which I was the Speaker.

We were then taken by Ill. Bro. W. A. Curran, 33°, to his home where a large number of the members and their wives were the guests of Illustrious Brother and Mrs. Curran—a very enjoyable evening.

June 20 On Sunday morning, June 20, we attended Church with Illustrious Brother and Mrs. T. McLachlan, after which we were their guests for a lovely luncheon and drive.

In the evening we were the guests of Illustrious Brother and Mrs. C. W. McBey at Dinner at the Golf Club — very enjoyable.

June 21 We went by plane from Castlegar to Kelowna where we were met at the Airport by Illustrious Brother K. S. and Mrs. Sheppard and with them as our guests we had lunch and then drove to Vancouver, where we arrived at 8:00 p.m.

OUR ILLUSTRIOUS DEPUTIES:

Having been a Special Deputy for the year 1949, and Deputy since 1950 for British Columbia, I am very conscious of the duties and responsibilities of our Deputies in all the Provinces. I have had the opportunity of reading this year's Reports of our Deputies and I am delighted to observe the very excellent way in which they are fulfilling their responsibilities. The leadership of our Deputies must be of great assistance to the various Bodies under their supervision, while numerically we have not made the progress we would have wished during the past year, the Reports of the Deputies indicate that Scottish Rite Masonry throughout the Jurisdiction is in a healthy condition. All Deputies, I trust, are aware of my availability to them at all times.

HONORARY INSPECTORS-GENERAL:

During the past year, our Deputies have been making a survey as to the advisability of increasing the number of Honorary Members allowed under the provision of Article 15. This will be a subject for discussion at this Meeting of Supreme Council.

SECRETARIES NOTICES:

Like all previous Sovereign Grand Commanders, I have read with interest the Notices of meetings of our Secretaries and Registrars and, I wish to congratulate these Brethren on their onerous duties and I feel that the Notices as such to the members are very important in assisting to retain the active support and attendance of our members.

BY-LAWS:

I have been pleased to approve Amendments to the By-laws of the following Constituent Bodies after having received the recommendations of the Deputies:

Woodstock Lodge of Perfection
Montreal Consistory
Hochelaga Chapter of Rose Croix
Hochelaga Lodge of Perfection
Winnipeg Lodge of Perfection
Bethesda Chapter of Rose Croix
Manitoba Consistory
Windsor Lodge of Perfection
Windsor Chapter of Rose Croix
North Bay Lodge of Perfection.

NEW BY-LAWS:

Also, I have been pleased to approve new By-laws for the following Constituent Bodies:

Cariboo Lodge of Perfection, Prince George, B.C.
Colville Lodge of Perfection, Nanaimo, B.C.
Boundary Lodge of Perfection, Trail, B.C.

APPOINTMENTS:

1. I appointed Ill.^o.Bro.^o.R. C. Berkinshaw, 33^o, to the Office of Grand Treasurer-General, to serve until the present Session.

2. I appointed Ill.^o.Bro.^o.Walter C. McDonald, 33^o, as Grand Marshal.

3. Appointed to Audit and Finance Committee —
 Ill. Bro. Howard B. Moore, 33°, Chairman.
 Ill. Bro. J. Herbert Forbes, 33°, Member.
4. Appointed to Committee on Foreign Relations —
 as Vice-Chairman —
 Ill. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw, 33°.

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES:

I was honoured by my appointment as Grand Representative near our Supreme Council for the Supreme Council of the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, U.S.A., to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Ill. Bro. Clarence MacL. Pitts, 33°.

I was pleased to recommend the following Brethren as Grand Representatives near our Supreme Council:

Southern Jurisdiction—Ill. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw, 33°.
 Peru—Ill. Bro. W. G. Welby, 33°.
 Scotland—Ill. Bro. C. H. Cunningham, 33°.
 Switzerland—Ill. Bro. W. H. Gibson, 33°.
 Venezuela—Ill. Bro. R. H. Rutherford, 33°.
 Costa Rica—Ill. Bro. W. C. McDonald, 33°.
 Honduras—Ill. Bro. G. A. Wilson, 33°.

All of the above recommendations have been accepted.

SPECIAL COMMITTEES:

(a) The Sovereign Grand Commander's Special Committee under the Chairmanship of Ill. Bro. Howard B. Moore, 33°, on General Fiscal Policy will present a final Report at this Annual Session consolidating the Interim Reports made in 1963 and 1964, which if adopted this Report will be published for distribution to the members of Supreme Council.

(b) To continue the work done by the Special Committee on Membership, I appointed a Special Committee on the Advancement of the Rite under the Chairmanship of Ill. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw, 33°, and look forward with interest to receiving their observations and recommendations on this important subject.

(c) Special Committee on the Foundation:

Under the capable Chairmanship of Ill. Bro. Walter H. Gibson, 33°, this Committee has accomplished much during the past year and the Scottish Rite Charitable

Foundation of Canada has been well established to fulfil the purpose for which it was created by this Supreme Council.

We look forward with much interest in receiving this Committee's Report on its progress and activities to date.

CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE SCOTTISH RITE CHARITABLE FOUNDATION:

In addition to the cheque for \$5,000.00 which the Toronto Lodge of Perfection and the Toronto Chapter of Rose Croix presented to me for the Scottish Rite Foundation, I am pleased to report the Barrie Lodge of Perfection presented me with a cheque for \$100.00 for the Foundation. On June 11, the Vancouver Bodies contributed a sum of \$5,000.00 with a recommendation that further contributions of an equal amount be contributed in each of the years 1966 and 1967.

A large number of contributions were made, in lieu of flowers, In Memory of Ill. Bro. Clarence MacL. Pitts, 33°. One Honorary Member made a generous contribution to the Foundation in appreciation of his valued association with the Rite over many years.

To our Grand Secretary-General, Ill. Bro. W. G. Welby, 33°; Assistant Grand Secretary-General, Ill. Bro. R. H. Rutherford, 33° (Hon.) and Miss Lees, I wish to convey my most sincere thanks for their support this past year. We are very fortunate in having a Secretarial staff who are so efficient and willing.

I would miserably fail were I to attempt to record in detail the courtesies and kindnesses extended to me on my official visitations.

I shall have to content myself with extending the sincere and grateful thanks of Mrs. Derby and myself to the ladies and members of the various Valleys who have been so kind and generous to us when we were privileged to be with you and accept your overwhelming hospitality.

The past year has been to me the outstanding and most inspirational year of my Masonic career. My sincere and heartfelt appreciation and thanks my Brethren are extended to you.

Respectfully and fraternally yours,
G. C. DERBY, 33°,
Sovereign Grand Commander.

At the conclusion of the Sovereign Grand Commander's Allocution on motion of Ill. Bro. J. McL. Marshall, 33°, and seconded by Ill. Bro. W. A. Henry, 33°, the Allocution was received with thanks and appreciation and referred to the Committee on the Allocution, Art. 29 (r) while any rulings or recommendations were referred to the Committee on Jurisprudence and Legislation.

The Sovereign Grand Commander then closed Supreme Council in the 14° in order that lunch be served and that GENERAL SESSION resume again at 2:00 p.m.

LUNCHEON

Luncheon was served in the Marquette Room, where the Sovereign Grand Commander presided, and Ill. Bro. Canon L. W. F. Crothers, a member of the Class, invoked the Blessing. Those seated at the head table were introduced by the Sovereign Grand Commander who then presented the Grand Prior, Ill. Bro. W. L. Wright, 33°, as the Speaker. Ill. Bro. Wright addressed the Brethren.

At the conclusion of the Grand Prior's address, he received the thanks of all present with great applause.

Supreme Council re-opened in GENERAL SESSION at 2:10 p.m.

Ill. Bro. W. G. Welby, 33°, presented the Report of the Grand Secretary-General as follows:

REPORT OF THE GRAND SECRETARY- GENERAL, H. E. .

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Illustrious Brethren:

With the installation of an entirely new "team" in the offices of Sovereign Grand Commander, Grand Treasurer-General, Grand Secretary-General and Assistant Grand Secretary-General, it is with some trepidation, but great pleasure, I present my first annual report as your Grand Secretary-General for the year ending July 31st, 1965. As a neophyte secretary, I was astounded to learn of the vast volume of correspondence, records and other material which is handled through this office. However, with the most able assistance of the Assistant Grand Secretary-General, Ill. Bro. R. H. Rutherford, 33°, and the office assistant, Miss Marion Lees, to both of whom I extend my deepest appreciation, and the wise and valuable counsel from my predecessor, Ill. Bro. C. H. Cunningham, 33°, I am able to report that all matters referred to this office have been completed. The unfortunate demise of our late Grand Treasurer-General, Ill. Bro. T. K. Wade, 33°, during his term of office, disturbed the even flow of communication for a time, but this was speedily remedied with the appointment to that office of Ill. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw, 33°, whose vast experience has been of great assistance to me.

Following the retirement in October, 1964, of Miss B. M. Hawkins, Assistant to the Grand Treasurer-General, his books and records were transferred to the Hamilton office, where they are now maintained by the Assistant Grand Secretary-General. The affairs of The Scottish Rite Charitable Foundation have also been assumed by the office. The addition of these two matters, of course, adds to the duties of the office, particularly those of the Assistant Grand Secretary-General.

In view of the short period of time between the closing of the fiscal year on July 31st and the preparation of the various reports for the consideration of Supreme Council at its Annual Session, I strongly recommend the proposed change in our Statutes and Regulations to end the fiscal year on June 30th.

Returns from the various Valleys are, with a few exceptions, in satisfactory form, but I must reiterate to all Secretaries the necessity of keeping proper and up to date records. There

appears to be some divergence of opinion and practise in the methods used in removing from the membership rosters, those members considered as "lost", or in purging the rosters. In my opinion, Supreme Council should, by amendment to the Statutes, or by some form of directive, lay down a proper procedure in removing the names of so-called "lost members". This procedure might well include the necessity of proving diligent search and enquiry; notice by Registered post to the last known address, and the posting of the name, with last known address, in the Valley Notice. This matter might well be referred to the Committee on Jurisprudence and Legislation for study and report.

Your Secretary-General has in mind the task of preparing another "Name Book", which ordinarily is produced every three years, the last being issued in 1963. The time consumed in preparing the list renders the book obsolete upon its issue, so that it is in fact never up to date. Every name must be checked against the membership cards and the energy of the staff in this effort might be used for more productive purposes. The cost of preparing the "Name Book" is constantly increasing. The printing and binding is estimated to cost \$3600.00 for 700 copies and this is in addition to the time of the staff. As an alternative to the present format of the book, the office could prepare mimeographed lists of the members for each Province and these could be made available upon request to those Secretaries requiring the same.

I, therefore, recommend to Council that it defer the printing of a new "Name Book", after which council might again consider this matter.

The Assistant Grand Secretary, Ill.' Bro.' R. H. Rutherford, assumed the task of compiling and issuing "The Supreme Councillor", which received favorable comment. Unless Council decides otherwise, another issue will be produced this year.

Although our Sovereign Grand Commander is located a vast distance from the office, we are in constant communication with him, and in my opinion, distance has in no way detracted from the efficient operation of the office. To him, I express appreciation for the confidence he has often found necessary to entrust to me and the Assistant Grand Secretary-General.

I had the privilege of attending the last Annual Session of the Supreme Council for the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction of the Scottish Rite, in Detroit, and consider the observance of

that important Body in action, and the opportunity of meeting those Officers, with whom we are in constant communication, to be another valuable lesson to your Grand Secretary-General in his apprentice year.

In his last report, my predecessor forecast the benefit to Supreme Council in the appointment of Ill.:Bro.:R. H. Rutherford as our new Assistant Grand Secretary-General. A review of the year's work will disclose this forecast has been more than adequately fulfilled, and Supreme Council will continue to benefit from the able efforts of this dedicated Brother in the future.

To all the Deputies, other Officers of Supreme Council and Officers of all the Constituent Bodies, I extend my thanks for their co-operation in this, my initial year in office.

The statistical Report is appended hereto.

Fraternally submitted,

W. G. WELBY, 33°

Grand Secretary-General, H.:E.:

**REPORT OF THE
GRAND SECRETARY-GENERAL, H.:E.:
YEAR 1964-65
AMOUNTS AND SOURCES OF REVENUE**

GENERAL

Thirty-third Degree	
Fees	\$ 4,350.00
Sundries	146.18
"Histories"	179.80
	\$4,675.98

CONSISTORIES

Alberta	587.00
British Columbia	847.60
Manitoba	584.00
Montreal	513.00
Moore Sovereign	4,252.10
New Brunswick	228.60
North Star	155.20
Nova Scotia	476.60
Saskatchewan	777.40
Southalta	326.80
	\$8,748.30

CHAPTERS OF ROSE CROIX

Alexander Shepphard....	121.00
Bethesda	502.20
Brandon	92.20
Chinook	217.20
Delta	323.20
Guelph	366.60
Hamilton	1,049.60
Harington	291.20
Hochelaga	451.60
Keith	443.20
Kent	198.80
Kokanee	114.00
London	633.40
Mizpah	483.30
Moray	100.80
Murray	411.00
Nanna-Bijou	324.40
Niagara	143.00
North Bay	430.90
Peterborough	383.90
Quebec	99.20
Regina	439.80
Rose of Sharon	151.80
Saskatoon	198.60
Sault Ste. Marie	168.90
Spry	672.60
St. Lawrence	19.20
Toronto	888.80
Vancouver	501.40
Victoria	124.60
Windsor	423.80
	\$10,770.20

LODGES OF PERFECTION

Albert Edward	\$ 70.20
Barrie	906.80
Boundary	84.40
Brandon	162.40
Calgary	560.30
Cariboo	140.10
Central Alberta	45.60
Chatham	210.80
Colville	133.40
Edmonton	632.30
Elgin	402.20
Fraser Valley	129.00
Hochelaga	558.20
Kingston	249.20
Kootenay	87.40
Lethbridge	155.20
London	845.80
Medicine Hat	86.10
Moncton	361.50
Moose Jaw	173.80
Murton	1,891.40
North Bay	717.20
Okanagan	184.70
Ottawa	686.20
Peterborough	679.80
Quebec	118.60
Regina	600.00
Royal City	646.50
Saint John	272.00
Saskatoon	309.20
Sault Ste. Marie	197.90
Superior	396.70
Toronto	1,486.80
Vancouver	599.70
Victoria, B.C.	239.40
Victoria, N.S.	824.70
Windsor	578.60
Winnipeg	849.90
Woodstock	185.40
	\$17,459.40

SUMMARY

Thirty-third Degree	
Fees	4,350.00
Consistories	8,748.30
Chapters of Rose Croix	10,770.20
Lodges of Perfection ...	17,459.40
Sundries	146.18
"Histories"	179.80

Remitted to Grand
Treasurer-General\$41,653.88
Fraternally submitted,
W. G. WELBY, 33°
Grand Secretary-General, H.:E.:.

Ill. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw, 33°, then presented the Report of the Grand Treasurer-General and Auditor as follows:

**REPORT OF THE
GRAND TREASURER-GENERAL H. E.**

YEAR 1964-1965

**To The Supreme Council of Sovereign Grand Inspectors-General
of the Thirty-third and Last Degree of the Ancient and
Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion
of Canada:**

Illustrious Brethren:

I am pleased to submit the following statements, as incorporated in the Auditor's Report for the twelve-month period ended July 31, 1965:

- (a) Statement covering the financial position of this Supreme Council as of the above date;
- (b) Operating Receipts and Disbursements for the said period;
- (c) Detailed schedule of Disbursements;
- (d) Statement of Investment Account;
- (e) Schedule of investments as of July 31, 1965.

The above mentioned financial statements and documents constitute both a general and detailed account of all monies received and disbursed during the said period, as required by Article 36, paragraph (1) (e) of the Statutes and Regulations, but I draw to your attention the fact that the report which I now present differs from the format followed in past years in that, to ensure their accuracy and clarity of presentation these statements have been drawn up by our auditor in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles and provide a comparison between the figures for the year under review and those of the preceding period. They also include the auditor's certificate that the same fully and fairly present the pertinent facts relative to the cash transactions and the financial position of Supreme Council accounts for the period ended July 31, 1965. These statements are appended to my report instead of being made an integral part of it. I trust that this change in practice meets with your complete approval.

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The net balance of all resources of this Supreme Council, as of July 31, 1965, was \$427,951.63. This figure includes (a) Cash on Hand; in the Bank and in the Trust Company account, and (b) Investments at par value. The comparable figure of a year ago was \$518,198.71 and the reduction of \$90,247.08 in Supreme Council financial resources thus indicated, is entirely due to the gift to the Foundation of securities to the face value of \$100,000.00, to which reference is made later in this report.

Total receipts on account of fees, dues, dispensations, proceeds from the sale of Histories, etc., amounted to \$41,825.10 as compared with \$45,392.45 for the previous year. The difference between these two amounts is accounted for mainly by the relatively smaller class of Candidates last year for the Degree of Honorary Inspector-General and a marked reduction in the sale of Histories. Also, there were fewer candidates for admission to all Constituent Bodies, although the membership of the Rite in this Jurisdiction shows a net increase of 306 over last year.

Interest on investments, including Bank interest, amounted to \$22,865.91 as compared with \$19,394.66 for the previous year and it is noted that even with a loss of income due to the transfer of securities to the face value of \$100,000.00 to the newly established Scottish Rite Charitable Foundation of Canada, the investment income for the year under review was \$3,471.25 greater than it was in the year ended July 31, 1964. This increased revenue more than recovers the net capital loss of \$3,253.75 incurred in the exchange of bond holdings which was made during the fiscal period 1963-4 to improve the yield on our investments. In referring to this farsighted action, we gratefully acknowledge our indebtedness to the late Ill.^o. Bro.^o. Thomas K. Wade, 33^o, for his wise counsel and sound judgment. We mourn his sudden passing to "The Grand Lodge Above" in January of this year and express our deep appreciation of his devoted interest in the cause of Scottish Rite Freemasonry in this Jurisdiction.

Disbursements from the Revenue Account during the year ended July 31, 1965, amounted to \$54,938.09 as compared with \$62,044.39 for the previous year. In making this comparison, it must be recalled that the disbursements reported a year ago included a number of exceptional items, such as —

(a) Cost of publishing the "Name Book"	\$3,200.00
(b) Expenses incurred by delegates to Conference in London, England	\$2,750.00

- (c) An overlap in the salaries paid to both the former and the present Assistant Secretary-General during a period of "take-over" of the duties and responsibilities of that office.
Additional expense approximately \$4,500.00
- (d) Relatively higher expenses for travelling which recur when Annual Sessions are held some distance from central Canada. Increased cost re 1963 Sessions in Edmonton approx. \$5,200.00

On the other hand, the only unusual items in this year's statement of disbursements were (1) a special donation of \$5,000.00 to the Canadian Association for Retarded Children, as authorized by this Supreme Council at its Sessions in Ottawa last year (1964 Proceedings, pp. 158-9) and (2) expenses, legal and otherwise, incurred in the establishment of the Foundation to the amount of \$2,089.73.

The following is a comparative summary of Revenue and Expenses for the past three years:

Revenue	1965	1964	1963
Admissions, dues, dis- pensions, etc. (Including sales of Histories	\$41,825.10	\$45,392.45	\$43,238.90
Interest on Invest- ments (including Bank interest)	22,865.91	19,394.66	19,415.31
	\$64,691.01	\$64,787.11	\$62,654.21
Disbursements	54,938.09	62,044.39	38,675.12
Surplus	\$ 9,752.92	\$ 2,742.72	\$23,979.09

The Scottish Rite Charitable Foundation of Canada was duly established by Letters Patent under date March 3, 1965, and in accordance with the resolution passed at the 1964 Annual Sessions (Proceedings p. 158) adopting the recommendations of the Special Committee on General Fiscal Policies, the following securities to the face value of \$100,000.00 were transferred on May 26, last, under Deed of Gift, from the funds of Supreme Council to the capital account of the Foundation.

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Province of Ontario 4½% Debentures Due June 15/78 \$80,000.00
 Province of
 Nova Scotia 3 % " " June 15/68 10,000.00
 Province of
 British Columbia 3 % " " June 15/68 10,000.00
 Accrued interest thereon from March 3, 1965, to May 26, 1965, amounting to \$1,139.73 has been credited to the Income Account of the said Foundation.

These securities are held by the Crown Trust Company, Toronto—the duly appointed custodian of the Foundation.

A schedule of securities in which Supreme Council funds were invested is included in the attached auditor's report. The total par value of these securities is \$385,452.17. They are all in the category of trustee investments, as prescribed in Article 37 (a) of our Statutes and Regulations. The custodian of these securities, The Canada Permanent Trust Company, reports that as of July 31, 1965, they had a market value of \$373,660.27, which is \$11,791.90 below their par value. However, in making this comparison between par and market values, it must be kept in mind that

- (a) our normal practice has been and still is to hold a security through to maturity;
- (b) one or two of the investments in the portfolio were acquired over fifteen years ago when prevailing interest rates were low;
- (c) many holdings were bought at a discount from their par value. A review of the record shows that the total cost of all securities listed was approximately \$2,100.00 less than the total par value.

The following is a breakdown of the territorial distribution of these investments which shows a reasonably good relationship between the issues of the three levels of Government:

Territorial Distribution

Canada and Canadian Govt. Guaranteed	\$119,500.00	31%
Provincial and Prov. Govt. Guaranteed	112,000.00	29%
Municipal	149,952.17	39%
Others	4,000.00	1%
	\$385,452.17	100%

A breakdown of the maturity dates is also of interest:

Maturities		
1965-69	\$ 14,000.00	3.6%
1970-78	179,000.00	46.4%
1980-89	192,452.17	50.0%
	\$385,452.17	100 %

Although the above table reveals a low position in short-term securities, I do not believe it need cause any concern.

Illustrious Brethren, it has been both an honour and a privilege to serve as Grand Treasurer-General of this Supreme Council until the expiration of the current Annual Sessions. I trust that I have done so to your entire satisfaction.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,
 R. C. BERKINSHAW, 33°,
 Grand Treasurer-General H.E.

August 17, 1965.

AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERSHIP

I have examined the statements of financial position and receipts and disbursements for the Supreme Council, 33° of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada for the year ended July 31, 1965. My examination included a general review of the accounting procedures and such tests of accounting records and other supporting evidence as I considered necessary in the circumstances.

In my opinion, the accompanying statements of financial position and receipts and disbursements present fairly the financial position of the Supreme Council as at July 31, 1965, and the results of its operations for the year ended on that date, in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

A. W. PARISH, 32°,
 Chartered Accountant.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE

SUPREME COUNCIL, 33°
OF THE ANCIENT AND ACCEPTED SCOTTISH RITE
OF FREEMASONRY FOR THE DOMINION OF CANADA

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT
JULY 31, 1965

ASSETS

	1965	1964
	\$	\$
PETTY CASH	200.00	200.00
BANK—Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce, Hamilton, Ontario	34,327.04	31,640.34
Canada Permanent Trust Company, Toronto, Ontario	7,972.42	906.20
INVESTMENTS, at par value (market value \$373,660.27)	385,452.17	485,452.17
	\$427,951.63	\$518,198.71

CAPITAL

BALANCE—BEGINNING OF YEAR....	\$518,198.71	\$518,709.74
Adjustment to par value of investments purchased		(3,253.75)
Transfer to The Scottish Rite Charitable Foundation of Canada	(100,000.00)	
Excess of Receipts over Disbursements	9,752.92	2,742.72
BALANCE—END OF YEAR	\$427,951.63	\$518,198.71

**STATEMENT OF OPERATING RECEIPTS AND
DISBURSEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JULY 31, 1965**

Receipts	1965	1964
Thirty-third Degree fees	\$ 4,350.00	\$ 6,150.00
Consistories	8,748.30	9,366.30
Chapters of Rose Croix	10,770.20	10,951.55
Lodges of Perfection	17,459.40	18,335.15
Investment income	22,774.31	19,285.80
Bank interest	91.60	108.86
Sundries	146.18	55.00
Histories	179.80	534.45
Donations (Transferred to "Foundation")	171.22	.....
	\$64,691.01	\$64,787.11
 Disbursements		
Expenses (Schedule No. 1)	54,938.09	62,044.39
Excess of Receipts over Disbursements		
For the Year	\$ 9,752.92	\$ 2,742.72

**SCHEDULE OF DISBURSEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JULY 31, 1965**

Officers' Expenses	1965	1964
Sovereign Grand Commander	\$ 2,798.56	\$ 2,000.00
Lieutenant Grand Commander	480.05	.....
Grand Secretary-General	255.14	814.68
Deputies: Alberta	101.25	198.20
British Columbia	88.75	285.85
Ontario	839.91	353.91
Saskatchewan	117.16	216.95
Quebec	68.35	77.40
Nova Scotia	218.75	
	\$ 4,967.92	\$ 3,946.99

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General Expenses

Canada Permanent Trust		
Company fees	441.90	402.66
Auditor	150.00	150.00
Rings and Jewels	1,196.65	557.81
Certificates	1,343.32	231.16
Floral Tributes	257.23	152.21
Insurance		153.75
Proceedings	3,539.66	3,396.75
Name Book		3,277.84
Printing and Stationery	1,708.56	1,103.02
The Supreme Councillor	604.79	321.90
Sundries	108.32	62.92
Ritual Committee	221.80	410.81
Work Committee booklets		852.90
Fiscal Policy Committee		106.51
Membership Committee meeting		1,087.96
VIII International Conference	194.30	434.00
London Conference		2,743.48
Promotion (Newfoundland)	333.74	.....
Grand Treasurer-General's bookkeeper	75.00	300.00
Grand Treasurer-General's bookkeeper's presentation	500.00	.....
Grand Secretary-General's presentation		500.00
J. H. Cuddie—Annuity (1965 final)	772.32	772.32
—Presentation	150.00	.....
	\$11,597.59	\$17,018.00

Office Expense

Salaries—Expenses	\$11,820.99	\$16,434.10
Rent	1,500.00	1,500.00
Heating	191.19	207.82
Telephone	301.01	240.21
Petty Cash	686.86	989.68
Office equipment	195.19	742.37
Office expenses		126.08
	14,695.24	20,240.26

Donations

Canadian Association for Retarded Children	5,000.00	.....
The Canadian Masonic Research Association	50.00	.....
Memorial Elevator and Tower Fund (Late Carl Jones legacy)	250.00	.....
	5,300.00	1,100.00

Foundation Expenses

Legal expenses, printing and stationery	2,089.73	.....
Donations (Received in trust in 1965 and prior years)	278.09	.....
	2,367.82	.....

Annual Session

Travelling	6,283.05	11,480.10
Session	9,726.47	8,259.04
	16,009.52	19,739.14
	\$54,938.09	\$62,044.39

**SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JULY 31, 1965**

INVESTMENTS—BEGINNING OF

YEAR (at par value	\$485,452.17	\$470,452.17
Add: Purchased—par value .....	.....	138,000.00
	485,452.17	608,452.17
Less: Sold—par value .....	.....	100,000.00
Bonds matured .....	.....	23,000.00
Bonds transferred to Foundation—par value....	100,000.00	.....
	100,000.00	123,000.00

INVESTMENTS—END OF YEAR

(at par value)		
(Approximate market value \$373,660.27)	\$385,452.17	\$485,452.17

**THE PROPERTY OF THE SUPREME COUNCIL, 33°
A. & A. S. RITE FOR THE DOMINION OF CANADA**

Securities	Rate %	Due	Market Value	Par Value
Government of Canada	5.50	1/10/75	\$43,430.00	\$43,000.00
Government of Canada	5.50	1/ 8/80	38,380.00	38,000.00
Government of Canada	4.50	1/ 9/83	18,100.00	20,000.00
Canada Guaranteed				
Canadian National Rys.	5.75	1/ 1/85	5,200.00	5,000.00
Canada Guaranteed				
Canadian National Rys.	5.00	1/10/87	12,926.25	13,500.00
Province of Ontario	4.50	1/12/76	14,800.00	16,000.00
Province of Ontario	4.25	15/ 6/78	890.00	1,000.00
Province of Ontario	5.50	15/ 9/83	29,775.00	30,000.00
Hydro Electric				
Commission of Ontario	4.50	15/10/74	14,025.00	15,000.00
Hydro Electric				
Commission of Ontario	5.25	1/ 2/84	9,625.00	10,000.00
Alberta Municipal				
Financing Corporation	5.50	1/ 6/84	19,800.00	20,000.00
Province of New Brunswick	5.50	15/ 7/89	14,550.00	15,000.00
Province of Quebec	5.50	15/ 6/86	14,362.50	15,000.00
City of Hamilton	5.25	15/12/69	1,960.00	2,000.00
City of Hamilton	5.25	15/12/70	2,932.50	3,000.00
City of Hamilton	5.25	15/12/71	22,425.00	23,000.00
City of Hamilton	5.25	15/12/72	1,950.00	2,000.00
City of Hamilton	5.25	15/12/73	3,890.00	4,000.00
City of Hamilton	5.25	15/12/74	972.50	1,000.00
City of Hamilton	5.25	15/12/75	2,910.00	3,000.00
City of Hamilton	5.25	15/12/76	1,940.00	2,000.00
City of Hamilton	5.25	15/12/77	1,935.00	2,000.00
City of Hamilton	5.25	15/12/78	2,902.50	3,000.00
Township of Sandwich East	2.00	31/12/85	666.52	952.17
Municipal of				
Metropolitan Toronto	5.00	1/ 2/77	22,800.00	24,000.00
Municipal of				
Metropolitan Toronto	4.75	1/ 4/78	23,125.00	25,000.00
Municipal of				
Metropolitan Toronto	5.50	1/ 3/81	9,800.00	10,000.00
Municipal of				
Metropolitan Toronto	5.50	15/11/82	4,900.00	5,000.00
Municipal of				
Metropolitan Toronto	5.50	15/ 5/84	9,750.00	10,000.00
City of Woodstock	5.50	15/12/65	9,887.50	10,000.00
Canada Permanent Mortgage ...	6.00	1/ 9/67	4,000.00	4,000.00
Governors of				
University of Toronto	3.00	15/ 8/70	9,050.00	10,000.00
			<u>\$373,660.27</u>	<u>\$385,452.17</u>

On motion, duly seconded and carried, the Reports of the Grand Secretary-General, Grand Treasurer-General and Auditor were received and referred to the Committee on Audit and Finance.

The Reports of the Deputies of the various Provinces, which had received scrutiny in Executive Session, were then filed with the Grand Secretary-General. On motion, duly seconded and carried, these Reports were received for printing in the Proceedings and referred to the Committee on the General State of the Rite.

Ill. Bro. W. C. McDonald, 33°, presented the following Report of the Committee on Returns, which on his motion was received and approved:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RETURNS

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish
Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander, Peers
and Brethren:

Your Committee on Returns herewith presents the Annual Report for the year ending June 30th, 1965. Since the last report, presented a year ago, there has been no change in the number of Bodies of The Rite across Canada, i.e. 39 Lodges of Perfection, 21 Chapters of Rose Croix and 10 Consistories.

For the sake of continuity with past returns and to indicate possible trends, the following statistics are of interest for the year under review and for the two preceding years.

Decrease in Membership in the following number of Bodies	1965	1964	1963
Lodges of Perfection	11	11	10
Chapters Rose Croix	5	5	6
Consistories	1	1	2
Admissions, Affiliations & Restorations.			
Lodges of Perfection	1,148	1,259	1,226
Chapters of Rose Croix	955	974	929
Consistories	682	756	626
Deaths, Suspensions & Withdrawals.			
Lodges of Perfection	842	857	915
Chapters of Rose Croix	608	617	608
Consistories	384	370	442
Net Increase in Membership—			
Lodges of Perfection	306	402	311
Chapters of Rose Croix	347	357	321
Consistories	298	386	184
Total Membership			
Lodges of Perfection	28,079	27,773	27,371
Chapters of Rose Croix	19,967	19,620	19,263
Consistories	13,292	12,994	12,608

A detailed review of the above statistics will indicate an overall net increase in all three Bodies of the Rite for the year, even though the increase is not as large as that reported one year ago. The net increase for 1965 in the Lodges of Perfec-

tion is almost 1.09% higher than the membership of 1964. This is most gratifying in view of the fact that the source of our new members by admissions are the Grand Lodges, A.F. & A.M., across Canada and the membership in the Grand Lodges has shown a steady decline for the past number of years. In 1965 the membership in all Craft Lodges in Canada has declined by 2,137 or a net decrease of .85%.

Your Committee is of the opinion that from the viewpoint of the continued net increase in members of the Lodges of Perfection, we may consider it as one of progress and that we can look to the future with confidence that our beloved Order will continue to grow and prosper. Nevertheless, we would urge all Bodies of the Rite, each for themselves, to establish a strong and active membership committee to seek out desirable new members from the great pool in Craft Freemasonry. At the same time this committee should individually consider each case where suspension is imminent or a request is made for a demit. We humbly suggest that in many instances, where a member is about to be suspended or a request for a demit has been made, that a personal discussion often uncovers the underlying reasons and as a result the interest is renewed and that member about to be lost becomes an active member again. We note where this approach has been tried that the results are most gratifying.

It is with deep regret that we note and pay our tribute to the long list of faithful brethren who during the year have passed to "The Great Beyond". In each Valley their passing is mourned and our sympathy is extended to the members and relatives. Particular mention must here be made to the great gap in our ranks caused by the deaths of:—

- 1) Illustrious Bro.'.Hugh Macdonald Dunlop, 33°,
Active Member and Grand Marshal of Supreme Council,
on January 15th, 1965.
- 2) Illustrious Bro.'.Thomas Kingsmill Wade, 33°,
Illustrious Grand Treasurer-General, Past Most Puissant
Sovereign Grand Commander, on January 20th, 1965.
- 3) Illustrious Bro.'.Clarence MacLeod Pitts, 33°,
Past Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander,
on April 10th, 1965.

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Beloved by all, their abilities, friendliness, leadership and wise counsel will be greatly missed by Supreme Council and the Rite throughout all of Canada.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,

WALTER C. McDONALD, 33°, Chairman.

CLYDE S. CLANCY, 33°

DONALD L. WITTER, 33°

The report of the Committee on Foreign Relations was then presented by Ill. Bro. J. McL. Marshall, 33°, the Chairman of that Committee, and on his motion, seconded by Ill. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw, 33°, the Report which follows, was adopted.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS

To the Supreme Council of Sovereign Grand Inspectors-General of the Thirty-third and last Degree of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Peers and Brethren:

The word "Foreign" in the official name of this Committee is only a geographical reference in that its Terms of Reference cover the fraternal relations existing between this Supreme Council and the other Supreme Councils of the Scottish Rite throughout the world and the fraternal relations existing between and among the same. These present an ever-changing scene and during the past year have denoted conflicts of ideals and ideologies—indeed, some clashes of personalities which have resulted in embarrassment extending beyond the wider area of the Jurisdictions in which some have developed.

It is encouraging to note, however, that during the past year there has been some increased activity through the exchange of correspondence between our Grand Representatives and their opposite numbers. This is all to the good in the development of understanding and goodwill. We take this opportunity to stress the importance and the need of these personal contacts to strengthen the bonds of fellowship within our Order.

The files of the Grand Chancellor indicate that during the past year, not sufficient material has been received by him to justify any recommendations for increasing the number of Supreme Councils, viz. 30, with which we are presently in amity and enjoy fraternal relations.

The report submitted by this Committee at the last Annual Sessions of this Supreme Council, which was duly approved by it, referred to requests for recognition received from Australia, Costa Rica, Honduras and Germany.

It will be recalled that the Australian request emanated from a small group of Inspectors-General, 33° which had taken irregular action to constitute a spurious Council without the authority of the two Supreme Councils having jurisdiction in this territory; and further, that no countenance was accorded to this irregular group pursuant to the understanding reached

in this respect at the Conference of English-Speaking Supreme Councils of the British Isles and North America in Amity, in London, England, June 1-3, 1964.

We understand that the situation in Australia—especially in New South Wales—is now under control and that Ill. Bro. R. L. Loyd, 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Supreme Council of England, Wales &c and Ill. Bro. Sir Donald Makgill, Bt. 33°, Grand Secretary-General of that Supreme Council, are presently on an extended visit to Australia to deal at first hand with the problem involved.

Ill. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw, 33°, was informed, when he was in England last April, that they expect to develop with the Honorary Inspectors-General in that country, a plan of operation which may effectively overcome some of the difficulties which had given birth to the irregular action referred to above. We sincerely trust that their mission will be successful and are pleased also to report that in accordance with an undertaking made at the above mentioned Conference in London and through the courtesy of advance arrangements made for him by Sovereign Grand Commander Luther A. Smith, 33°, of the Supreme Council of the Southern Jurisdiction, Ill. Bro. Makgill, 33°, will pay an unofficial visit to The Philippines in November next and will there meet and confer with Sovereign Grand Commander Conrado Benitez, 33°, and the members of the Supreme Council in that country. It is our fervent wish that the mutual contacts which will be made through this important visit will serve to bring the Supreme Council of The Philippines and the Supreme Councils of England, Wales, Scotland and Ireland closer together in fraternal relationship.

In regard to Costa Rica and Honduras, to which recognition was extended last year on the recommendation of this Committee, we report that an exchange of Grand Representatives has now been accomplished through the following appointments by the respective Sovereign Grand Commanders:

- I As Grand Representative near our Supreme Council of—
 - a) Costa Rica Ill. Bro. Walter C. McDonald, 33°
 - b) Honduras Ill. Bro. George A. Wilson, 33°
- II As Grand Representative of this Supreme Council near the Supreme Councils of—
 - a) Costa Rica Ill. Bro. Theodore Thompson Anderson, 33°
 - b) Honduras Ill. Bro. Miguel Diaz Gomez, 33°

In regard to the request for recognition received from the Supreme Council of Germany, it was agreed on this Committee's recommendation that the Sovereign Grand Commander be empowered to extend recognition and invite the exchange of representatives, provided "he is assured that the present uncertainties are satisfactorily clarified".

Although nearly all the Craft Jurisdictions on this side of the Atlantic do recognize the United Grand Lodges of Germany and the sources from which Scottish Rite in Germany derives its membership, therefore, appear to be regular, the "uncertainties" referred to above relate especially to a statement made by Grand Commander Eric Schalscha, 33°, of the Supreme Council of Germany, in a letter dated July 22, 1964 to Ill. Bro. Berkinshaw to the effect that his Supreme Council "adheres to the principles of the Lausanne Constitution of 1875, which are an unconditional part of our Constitution".

For a number of reasons, our Sovereign Grand Commander did not obtain the necessary assurance; consequently, recognition of the Supreme Council of Germany is still held in abeyance. One cogent reason was the outbreak of serious trouble within the ranks of the Supreme Council of France toward the latter part of September, which had its origin in the signing and subsequent ratification by a majority vote in October 1964 of a Treaty of Fraternal Alliance between the Grande Loge de France and the Grand Orient de France (an irregular, clandestine and atheistic group) which provided for the exchange of secret words or pass words, names of members wanting membership and/or affiliation, inter-visitation and a combining of forces. Under these disturbed and distracting conditions it was considered advisable to withhold any action regarding Germany until the position, foundation and witness of the Scottish Rite in the whole European area had been reviewed and appraised.

In the light of subsequent events, this decision was taken wisely, since it now appears that the Supreme Councils of Austria and Switzerland—indeed, some Supreme Councils in Latin America—base their respective constitutions on the so-called Institute of Lausanne, or the regulations and principles stated by it generally described as the Lausanne Charter of 1875 and not on the Great Constitutions of 1786.

We have always looked upon and still do consider the latter as the foundation of Scottish Rite Jurisprudence and have assumed that all Supreme Councils also held allegiance to them. Since the "Lausanne Charter" purports to eliminate what we

consider to be one of the great landmarks of Masonry, namely, belief in the existence of a Supreme Being, a Divine Creator—the Great Architect of the Universe—and the placing of the Great Lights on the Altar, substituting for such belief a moral, ethical, philosophical and non-religious base, it is pertinent to quote verbatim in this report the comments on this subject made by Grand Commander Ill.^o Bro.^o George E. Bushnell, 33^o, in a recent letter to Commander Schalscha, in which he states:

“I think that most Supreme Councils are aware that the International Conference held in Lausanne in 1875 brought about insurmountable differences of opinions between the participants, with the result that no subsequent International Conference was held until the meeting in Brussels in 1907. The Proceedings of the 1907 meeting designate that event as “the first International Conference”. In this record of the 1907 Brussels meeting, on page 103, is found this statement: “After several fruitless attempts to restore, on a larger basis, the Confederacy of Lausanne, the Sovereign Grand Commander of the Supreme Council of Belgium, Most Pot. Bro. Count Goblet d’Alviella, 33^o, deemed it preferable to resume the scheme on new lines, while making use of the experience of the past”. Then follow observations on the want of unity, etc., and the statement of Commander d’Alviella’s view of proposed remedies. On page 123, the “sterilization” of the 1875 Conference is described. Other important related matters are discussed on pages 142, 146, 148, 149, 153, 155 and 162. In the Proceedings of our Northern Supreme Council for 1907 will be found the report of our delegates to the Brussels Conference. Among other things they stated “Second only in importance to the harmony and goodwill of the Conference is the fact that by unanimous agreement the heresies of the so-called convention of Lausanne and other like organizations are entirely abandoned and the Grand Constitutions of 1786 were recognized as the fundamental law of the Rite”. In view of the foregoing, I cannot understand the reliance which has been placed by some on the action taken at the Lausanne Conference of 1875. Since 1907 we have felt that the first Lausanne Conference was repudiated, and we believed that other members of the International Conference of Supreme Councils took the same position”.

In the light of the facts which we have been able to ascertain to date, we recommend that steps toward the recognition of the Supreme Council of Germany be further deferred until a firm and mutually acceptable basis can be found upon which to do so.

France: The comments and observations stated above have a direct bearing on the schism which arose in the ranks of the Supreme Council of France following the conclusion of the Treaty to which reference has previously been made. The circumstances of this unfortunate development and the action taken to meet it are correctly and concisely stated by Grand Commander Luther A. Smith, 33°, in the August issue of *The New Age*, the official organ of the Supreme Council of the 33° for the Southern Jurisdiction, under the heading "The Grand Commander's Visitations". A photostatic copy of his statement in that respect is attached hereto and forms part of this report.

Since our Constitution does not permit the Sovereign Grand Commander of this Supreme Council to either withdraw or extend recognition unless specifically authorized to do so, we respectfully request your ratification and confirmation of the representations made and the actions taken by your Sovereign Grand Commander and Ill. Bro. Berkinshaw in cooperation and collaboration with the Sovereign Grand Commanders of the Southern and Northern Masonic Jurisdictions and of The Netherlands in their valiant and constructive efforts to bring "Order out of Chaos" within the French Jurisdiction; and further, that we in Supreme Council assembled record our admiration for and appreciation of the courageous steps taken by Ill. Bro. Charles Riandey, 33° in reorganizing and re-establishing the Supreme Council of France upon a solid foundation of regular and traditional Masonic standards; that we reaffirm our full recognition of the Supreme Council of France as reorganized under Sovereign Grand Commander Riandey's direction; reaffirm his appointment as the representative of our Supreme Council near the Supreme Council of France and appoint a representative of that Supreme Council near ours to fill the vacancy caused by the death of our late dearly beloved brother, Ill. Bro. Clarence MacLeod Pitts, 33°.

**XXth Conference of European Grand Commanders,
Lausanne, Switzerland, May 31 - June 1, 1965:**

The participating Supreme Councils of this Conference were Germany, Austria, Holland, Italy, Turkey and Switzerland. There was no representative of the Supreme Council of Greece and in so far as France was concerned, representatives of both the Riandey and the Bonnet groups were invited to be in Lausanne and to appear at the Sessions as requested.

The following attended as observers: Ill.'.Bro.'.Luther A. Smith, 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander and Ill.'.Bro.'.Henry C. Clausen, 33°, Grand Orator of the Supreme Council of the Southern Jurisdiction of the United States of America; Ill.'.Bro.'.Richard A. Kern, 33°, Grand Minister of State of the Supreme Council of the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, of the United States of America, representing Grand Commander Bushnell, who had planned to attend but, unfortunately, was prevented from doing so by circumstances beyond his control. We were unable to accept a cordial invitation to attend this Conference as observers but authorized Grand Commander Smith to represent and speak for the Supreme Council of Canada on the issues involved—an assignment which he graciously accepted and most acceptably fulfilled.

The abridged Minutes of this Conference are attached as an Exhibit to this report. They disclosed the fact that this Conference devoted two entire days to a discussion and consideration of "the French problem" without reaching any conclusion as to the action which had to be taken to solve it, much to the disappointment of those who attended as observers.

A proposal was put forward to appoint a Committee of Arbitration to resolve the differences between "the two French delegations". This proposed procedure was accepted by the Bonnet group but Grand Commander Riandey withheld decision until he had referred it to his Supreme Council. He subsequently declined to submit his case to arbitration on the grounds that the matter was not properly and legally a subject for such procedure.

A report of the establishment of the first Lodge of Perfection in Israel under the sponsorship of the Supreme Council of Germany was submitted and the Conference was informed that the idea of establishing a Consistory in Luxembourg had been abandoned "for the time being".

It was agreed that an exposé on "the Grand Constitutions and the Constitution of 1875" by Bro. Paul Collet, Grand Commander of Honour of the Supreme Council of Switerland, should be printed in the French, German and English languages and a copy issued to the Supreme Councils which took part in the Conference.

Toward the close of the Proceedings, Grand Commander Smith and Ill.'.Bro.'.Kern were each given an opportunity to address the Conference. They made a valuable and enlightening

contribution to its deliberations, clearly outlining the issues involved and explaining the reasons for our intervention in efforts to re-establish Scottish Rite Masonry in France on a regular, legitimate basis.

The date and place of the XXIst Conference was left undecided.

Grand Commander Smith and Ill.'.Bro.'.Kern kept full accounts of the proceedings of this Conference. We are especially grateful to Ill.'.Bro.'.Kern for a most illuminating treatise and heartily concur with the suggestion that portions of it could well be published and circulated to others who have a concern for the distressing French impasse. He has done an outstanding job in describing the various discussions at Lausanne. This almost verbatim report constitutes a candid appraisal of where all the participants and observers presently stand on the vital issues which were under consideration.

IXth International Conference of Supreme Councils:

The IXth Conference of Supreme Councils was to have been held in Paris, France, in June 1966. However, the conditions referred to previously in this report obviously prevented its organization in that city. Under these circumstances, Ill.'.Bro.'.Eric Schalscha, 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Supreme Council of Germany, advanced the proposal at the Lausanne Conference that the IXth International Conference be held in 1966 in Germany at Baden-Baden; and further, suggested that Grand Commander Smith be requested to retain the Chairmanship of the Conference for a further period of five consecutive years beginning with 1966. After having satisfied himself on several points, Commander Smith, as President of the International Conference, is now sending out a questionnaire to all members to determine their wishes relative to holding the Conference in Germany in October 1966.

There are many reasons in favour of an indefinite postponement of this Conference, such as the time factor involved in the development of an agenda which will justify the effort and expense; an opportunity should be given to our Scottish Rite Brethren in France to reconcile their differences on a basis of regularity; there should be more time to study, appraise and, if possible, counteract the sinister influence of the so-called Lausanne Constitution of 1875 and its effect on Masonic practice, beliefs and doctrines amongst the Supreme Councils of the Scottish Rite in Europe and Latin America.

The main reason for endeavouring to hold this Conference is indicated by Grand Commander Schalscha himself, when he stated that "it is undesirable to leave the French problem in suspense longer than next year without having to make an attempt at an early solution". In our opinion, this could also be a reason for postponement, since one can readily visualize the French problem monopolizing the entire period of the Conference as it did the Conference in Lausanne, without accomplishing the desired objective. We reiterate the thought "that a reasonable solution may be found if we do not precipitate matters but show the required delicacy" and suggest that a solution of the French problem must be found within the ranks of the Order in France itself.

We respectfully recommend to Supreme Council that in replying to Grand Commander Smith's questionnaire regarding the proposed Conference in Germany, we express a preference for an indefinite postponement and advise him that should the Conference be held in Baden-Baden, Germany, in October 1966, our Supreme Council would be represented by at least one delegate.

The VIIIth International Conference of Supreme Councils held in Washington in 1961 set up a Committee on Standards of Recognition, consisting of representatives of Turkey, Mexico and Canada. Ill. Bro. Charles H. Cunningham, 33° has been acting as rapporteur-secretary of this Committee and has now prepared a consolidated summary of the replies which have been received to the questionnaire sent out to all members of the Conference. It is in the course of clearance with the other two members of the Committee and should be ready for presentation to the IXth International Conference of Supreme Councils if and when it may be held.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,
J. McL. MARSHALL, 33°,
Chairman.
R. C. BERKINSHAW, 33°.
H. A. VALLIERES, 33°.

During the discussion respecting the Report of the Committee on Foreign Relations, Ill. Bro. Luther A. Smith, 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Southern Jurisdiction, was requested to give the Brethren the benefit of his research and actions in International affairs. Ill. Bro.

Bro.:Smith gave a very interesting review of his dealings in these matters, particularly with those bodies whose members did not profess a belief in a Supreme Being, and of the refusal of his Jurisdiction to be bound by any actions of any International Conferences which included such Bodies. He stated his willingness to again serve as President of the International Conference, if elected, and if the same Vice-Presidents of the Conference were also re-elected.

Ill.:Bro.:George E. Bushnell, 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction of the Scottish Rite, was invited to address the Brethren regarding his views on Foreign Relations. Ill.:Bro.:Bushnell accepted the invitation, and after discussing various features, particularly regarding conditions in France, expressed his desire to support Ill.:Bro.:Charles Riandey, 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Supreme Council of France, in his position in that Country.

The following Resolution, proposed by Ill.:Bro.:R. C. Berkinshaw, 33°, who intimated that if the International Conference is held in 1966, Ill.:Bro.:Luther A. Smith, 33°, would be requested to continue as President for another five year term, and seconded by Ill.:Bro.:J. McL. Marshall, 33°, was then unanimously passed.

RESOLUTION

Pursuant to the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Foreign Relations, as submitted to this Annual Session, it was moved by Ill.:Bro.:J. McL. Marshall, 33°, seconded by Ill.:Bro.:Wilbert G. Welby, 33° and unanimously carried that we, in Supreme Council now assembled—

1. Do approve, ratify and confirm the representations and commitments made and the actions taken by our Sovereign Grand Commander and by Ill.:Bro.:R. Coulton Berkinshaw, 33°, with respect to the issues arising out of the recent schism within the ranks of the Supreme Council of France, more particularly their withdrawal of fraternal relations with that Supreme Council pending a satisfactory settlement of the differences involved and their subsequent reinstatement of the same following its reorganization on a firm, legitimate and regular basis by Sovereign Grand Commander Charles Riandey, 33°, with the active assistance, co-operation and collaboration

of the Grand Commander of the Netherlands, the Grand Commanders of the Southern and Northern Masonic Jurisdictions of the United States of America and of Canada;

2. Do extend to Grand Commander Riandey and the members of his reorganized Supreme Council of France our warmest fraternal greetings and good wishes, with an expression of admiration and respect for their courageous and constructive moves toward the attainment of this most desirable objective;

3. Do request our Sovereign Grand Commander to reaffirm the appointment of Ill.:Bro.:Charles Riandey, 33° as the duly accredited representative of our Supreme Council near the Supreme Council of France, and nominate a representative to that Supreme Council near our own to fill the vacancy caused by the death of our dearly beloved Ill.:Bro.:Clarence MacLeod Pitts, 33°.

Ill.:Bro.:W. A. Henry, 33°, presented the following Report of the Committee on Dispensations and Warrants, which on his motion, duly seconded, was adopted:

**REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON DISPENSATIONS
AND WARRANTS**

**To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish
Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—**

Peers and Brethren:

Your Committee is pleased to report that the Brethren of Sydney, Nova Scotia, have petitioned this Supreme Council for a Dispensation for a Lodge of Perfection at Sydney, to be called CAPE BRETON LODGE OF PERFECTION.

The Illustrious Deputy for Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island and Newfoundland, recommends that their petition be granted.

Your Committee finds the petition in order and considers the location proper for a new Lodge of Perfection.

We recommend that a Dispensation be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

W. A. HENRY, 33°, Chairman

CHARLES J. BOYLE, 33°

GEORGE A. WILSON, 33°

The Report of the Committee on Rituals and Ritualistic Matters which follows was presented by Ill. Bro. E. Macaulay Dillon, 33°, Chairman of the Committee, and on his motion, duly seconded, was adopted.

**REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RITUAL AND
RITUALISTIC MATTERS OF THE SUPREME COUNCIL
FOR THE DOMINION OF CANADA AT ITS SESSION IN
MONTREAL IN THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER, 1965**

Peers and Brethren:

Your Committee had one session in Toronto on August 7th, 1965, with three of the Active Members of the Committee. The other Active Member, Bro. Fred Belsham, was unable to attend.

The attached members of the Committee were furnished with the results of that meeting and the final meeting with all members present was held on Saturday, September 11th, and your Committee now begs to report as follows:

1. Your Committee notes that the present requirement that during the opening of the 18° the Sovereign Princes form two columns, etc., is in many cases difficult and in some, almost impossible to carry out. Your Committee recommends that when the actual format as presently set out in the Rubric in the sharing of the Sign, Token and Words is impractical, that a token collection of the Sign, Token and Words be permitted. This recommendation would give authority for what has to be done in some large Valleys.

2. In the 1964 report of this Committee, it was recommended that the revisions of the lectures of the 4th, 5th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th and 14th Degrees be authorized for trial and be supplied to the Valleys. The Valleys have been supplied with this material and to date there has been no unfavourable comment, and we therefore now recommend that these revised lectures be given approval for use.

3. 6th Degree

Last year the Committee recommended that the tentative lecture for the 6th Degree be withdrawn and your Committee now suggests that it make a further study of the lecture to decide whether any revision at all be suggested at the 1966 meeting.

4. 13th Degree

Your Committee has completed its study of the 13th Degree as suggested in the 1964 report. Appended to this report and recommended for trial by the Valleys, are the proposed amend-

ments to this Degree. Basically, the history, legend and lecture have been edited into a prologue, some material has been added to the so-called 'Vault' scene and some revision of the lecture has been made.

5. 15th Degree

Your Committee considered the 15th Degree and noted the fact that various methods are used in various Valleys to introduce the personnel, either by marching them in or being on the stage when the curtain is raised. However, the King and his Court are sitting there doing nothing and there is some delay in the giving of the alarm. The Committee recommends that immediately the curtain rises, Cyrus should deal with his dream and as he finishes that, you get the alarm. Later on, Cyrus requests the interpretation of the dream from the Master of the Palace. The detailed amendments to the Degree as suggested above are appended to this report and your Committee recommends them for trial by the Chapters, during the coming year.

6. 16th Degree

As the result of suggestions from some Valleys, some revision of the 16th Degree in the first apartment, by the shortening of one speech by Zerubbabel, and in the second apartment to make the contest in respect to power more logical, a further revision has been made. The complete amendments are attached to and form part of this report and your Committee recommends them for trial by the Chapters during the coming year.

7. 32 Degree—Glastonbury Play

It was felt by the Committee and some other members of Council that this play, written by Bro.' Reginald V. Harris, did not receive all the consideration which it merited when presented at the Halifax session in 1957. Since that time Bro.' Harris has prepared a revised Script, with the intention of improving and strengthening the drama. Your Committee recommends further study of this play in co-operation with Bro.' Harris.

8. Manual for Officers

The Supreme Council for the Northern Jurisdiction of the United States has such a manual dealing with protocol respect-

ing banquet procedures, etc. Ill. Bro. Berkinshaw suggested that the Ritual Committee study this material and your Committee requests that it be given instruction to do so.

9. Concordance

The Sovereign Grand Commander informed the chairman by letter that a Brother of the Northern Jurisdiction had written him about the production of a concordance which apparently Ill. Bro. N. D. Peterson of Kennewick Consistory in Portland, Oregon, was producing. When the relative material was received, your Committee on examination, decided that this project was one upon which we should not embark.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Committee on Ritual and Ritualistic Matters:

E. M. Dillon, 33°, Chairman.
C. H. Cunningham, 33°
T. M. Sieniewicz, 33°
W. A. Jones, 33°
F. E. Belsham, 33°
R. V. Harris, 33°.

Ill. Bro. H. B. Jackson, 33°, then presented his Report as Special Representative to The Canadian Masonic Research Association, and on his motion, duly seconded, the Report was adopted and the contribution of \$50.00 to the Association confirmed.

**REPORT OF THE SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE TO
THE CANADIAN MASONIC RESEARCH ASSOCIATION**

**To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish
Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—**

Illustrious Sirs:

Two meetings of The Canadian Masonic Research Association were held during the year, at which papers were read as follows:

At the meeting held on the evening of February 19th, 1965, in the Masonic Temple, Montreal, after reports of the President and Treasurer:—

“Select Surveyors Lodge”

by R.W. Bro. A. J. B. Milborne, of Knowlton, P.Q.

“American Masonic Roots in British Lodge”

by R.W. Bro. Col. James R. Case of Bethel, Connecticut, Master of the American Lodge of Research.

Officers were also elected at this meeting for the next biennium. At the 42nd meeting held on the evening of May 12th, 1965, in the Masonic Temple, Toronto, after greetings from W. Bro. W. R. Owens, of University Lodge;

“M.W. Bro. William James Dunlop, B.A., B.Paed., LL.D., former Grand Master, educator, politician, first President of C.M.R.A., former member and Past Master of University Lodge”

by V.W. Bro. Roy S. Foley, Past Master of University Lodge, and historian for the Grand Lodge of Canada (Ontario).

After discussion and comments, led by the President, V.W. Bro. J. L. Runnalls and Secretary, M.W. Bro. R. V. Harris, the brethren adjourned to the Banquet Hall for light refreshments.

Papers as follows have been published and will be turned over to the Committee on Library and Archives:—

No. 71 “Fables, Fallacies and Fictions Respecting Freemasonry”
by M.W. Bro. R. V. Harris, PGM (NS)

No. 72 “The First Fifty Years of Perfection Lodge No. 9
(G.R. Alta.) 1805-1945”
by R.W. Bro. Fred Parker.

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- No. 73 "Loyalist Masons of the Mohawk Valley"
by E. F. Dougherty, Historian, St. Patrick's Lodge,
No. 4, G.L., N.Y., Johnstown, N.Y.
- No. 74 "Kipling and Freemasonry"
by M.W. Bro. Robert A. Gordon, P.G.M.,
Prince Edward Island.
- No. 75 "Godfrey de Bouillon Preceptory No. 3, Hamilton, Ont."
by M.Em. Kt. Reginald V. Harris.

We express sincere thanks to Ill. Bro. R. V. Harris, 33°, Secretary of the Canadian Masonic Research Association; and suggest that the usual amount of \$50.00 be granted to the Association.

Respectfully submitted,
HERBERT B. JACKSON, 33°
Representative

PLACES OF MEETING

Ill. Bro. H. B. Jackson, 33°, reported that the Committee on Places of Meeting had approved the acceptance of an invitation to hold the 1970 Annual Session in Toronto, and on his motion, this invitation was accepted. Ill. Bro. Jackson, then advised the Brethren the places of Meeting for the next five years were as follows:

1966	—	City of Niagara Falls, Ontario
1967	—	City of Winnipeg, Manitoba
1968	—	City of Hamilton, Ontario
1969	—	City of Halifax, Nova Scotia
1970	—	City of Toronto, Ontario.

Ill. Bro. Felix A. Lenhart, 33°, Active Member of the Supreme Council of France, and a beloved visitor to our Sessions, having obtained permission to address the Session, extended to the Sovereign Grand Commander and our Supreme Council thanks and appreciation for the support extended to his Sovereign Grand Commander, Ill. Bro. Charles Riandey, 33°.

General Session was called off at 3:50 p.m., when the Sovereign Grand Commander announced the Session would resume at 8:00 p.m., for the conferring of the 33°.

SIXTH EXECUTIVE SESSION

The Executive Session was resumed at 4:00 p.m., when the following Brethren were nominated to be elected Active Members of this Supreme Council:

Ill.:Bro.:George Stanley Rogers, 33°,
by Ill.:Bro.:H. B. Jackson, 33°, Deputy for Ontario.

Ill.:Bro.:James Palmer Kent, 33°,
by Ill.:Bro.:W. A. Jones, 33°, Deputy for Ontario.

Ill.:Bro.:David Monteith Taylor, 33°,
by Ill.:Bro.:G. C. Derby, 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander
and Deputy for British Columbia.

Ill.:Bro.:George Barlow Ingraham, 33°,
by Ill.:Bro.:K. R. Nelson, 33°, Deputy for New Brunswick.

Ill.:Bro.:Harvey Roy Doane, 33°,
by Ill.:Bro.:T. M. Sieniewicz, 33°, Deputy for Nova Scotia,
Prince Edward Island and Newfoundland.

On motion, and in accordance with Article 11, the above nominations were referred to the Committee on Nominations.

Various Deputies then made nominations of Sublime Princes of the Royal Secret, 32°, to be elected Honorary Inspectors-General of the Thirty-third Degree, and to receive such Degree at our next Annual Session:

By Ill.:Bro.:H. B. Jackson, 33°, Deputy for Ontario,
11 nominations

By Ill.:Bro.:W. A. Jones, 33°, Deputy for Ontario,
14 nominations

By Ill.:Bro.:K. R. Nelson, 33°, Deputy for New
Brunswick, 2 nominations

By Ill.:Bro.:T. M. Sieniewicz, 33°, Deputy for Nova
Scotia, P.E.I., and Newfoundland; and 3 nominations

By Ill.:Bro.:G. A. Wilson, 33°, Deputy for Manitoba,
2 nominations

By Ill.:Bro.:D. A. R. McCannel, 33°, Deputy for
Saskatchewan, 3 nominations

By Ill. Bro. G. C. Derby, 33°, Sov. Grand Commander and Deputy for British Columbia, 1 nomination (total 36).

On motion, and in accordance with Article 19 (a), these nominations were received and referred to the Committee on Nominations for report on Wednesday.

Ill. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw, 33°, referred to the request of the Supreme Council of France for financial assistance and that the Supreme Councils of the Southern and Northern Masonic Jurisdictions had pledged such support. On motion of Ill. Bro. Berkinshaw, seconded by Ill. Bro. C. H. Cunningham, 33°, it was resolved that this Supreme Council contribute to such financial support on a pro rata basis of 4% of the contributions, when made, of the Supreme Councils of the Southern and Northern Masonic Jurisdictions, with a maximum payment of \$800.

The Executive Session was called off at 4:30 p.m., to re-convene Wednesday at 9:00 a.m.

TUESDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 14th, 1965

Supreme Council resumed in GENERAL SESSION at 8:00 p.m.

The Sovereign Grand Commander, assisted by Officers of Supreme Council and a Past Sovereign Grand Commander, conferred the 33° upon the following 39 Sublime Princes of the Royal Secret, 32°:

Clarence Stewart Anderson
 Henry William Armstrong
 Archibald Hugh Biggart
 Loring William Foreman Crothers
 Harold Robert Emberson Dye
 William Alexander Eastwood
 Stuart Archibald Fleming
 Christopher McMath Fry
 John Murray Gardiner
 Kenneth William Griffin
 William Alexander Carlyle Hall
 Robert Leith Hanbidge
 Stuart Lawrence Hodge
 Delmar Francis Horton
 Robert Thompson Livingstone Innes
 Lewis Bayliss James

Agnew Herbert Johnston
Thomas Frederick Kingsmill
Edward James Langley
Oliver John Little
Nigel Malcolm MacLean
Cyril Comfort Martin
Lionel Cecil Martin
Vernon Alexander McFadgen
Austin Milton McQuarrie
Terry Leonard Meek
Edwin Alastair Merrett
David Robert Montgomery
John Ross Parrott
Charles Edward Pinnell
Ben Lowrie Robinson
Charles John Frederick Ross
Archie Wilson Routledge
James Alexander Saunders
Kenneth Stirling Nelson Shepherd
Phillips MacKay Till
Theodore William Totten
George Thomas Wallis
John Waterhouse

who were coroneted Inspectors-General 33°, Honorary Members of this Supreme Council and duly proclaimed by the Grand Marshal.

Ill. Bro. Stuart Lawrence Hodge, 33°, on behalf of the newly coroneted members, expressed their appreciation for the honour conferred on them.

The Box of Fraternal Assistance was then presented, and on motion, the proceeds were donated to the Almoner of the Montreal Valley.

Supreme Council adjourned in General Session at 9:55 p.m., following which the Brethren joined the ladies of our Members for the Reception in Gallery No. 1 of the Hotel, where all enjoyed a social hour.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 15th, 1965

Supreme Council convened in Executive Session at 9:00 a.m., when Ill. Bro. C. H. Cunningham, 33°, P. Lieut. Grand Commander, presented the following Report of the Committee on Nominations:

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REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS

Illustrious Brethren:

Your Committee on Nominations, to whom was referred the nominations of the following Brethren:

George Barlow Ingraham, 33°, East Saint John, N.B.

James Palmer Kent, 33°, Toronto, Ont.

George Stanley Rogers, 33°, Hamilton, Ont.

Harvey Roy Doane, 33°, Halifax, N.S.

David Monteith Taylor, 33°, Vancouver, B.C.

for advancement to Active Rank, hereby approves these nominations for election in the usual manner.

Also, we recommend the following Sublime Princes of the Royal Secret 32°, who have been nominated to receive the Thirty-third Degree as suitable for election thereto:

BRITISH COLUMBIA

Charles William Morrow—Vernon

SASKATCHEWAN

Irwin Wesley Bean—Regina

Charles Bryce Orchard—Saskatoon

Theodore McKinley Spencer—Regina

MANITOBA

James Ashton Ogden—Winnipeg

David Bodel Thompson—Winnipeg

ONTARIO

John James Allan—Ottawa

Francis Chalmers Armstrong

Barrie

Arthur William Bedwell

Hamilton

William Kirk Bailey

Toronto

Albert Edward Cook

Hamilton

John Atkinson Cooke

Falconbridge

John William Crowther

Niagara Falls

Harry Lawson Gay—Courtice

Robert Eldon Greer—Barrie

Fraser Earl Jeffery Hay

Listowel

Lorne Hammond Hitchens

London

Percy Roberts Locke

St. Thomas

Richard Erwin Logan Orono	Wilfrid Nasmith Paterson Dundas
Bruce William Matthews Kingston	Harold George Peppiatt Toronto
James Guthrie McCann Sarnia	Arthur William Parish Hamilton
Albert Alfred Mortlock Peterborough	George Cairncross Schaefer Ottawa
James David Murray Lambeth	Robert Strachan—Hamilton
Samuel George Nicholls Islington	William Daniel Wells Clinton
	Frederick Earl Wilson Niagara Falls

NEW BRUNSWICK

Stanley Miller—Lancaster
Perley Everitt Roy—Newcastle

NOVA SCOTIA

George Warren Fleming—Halifax
Lewis Ross Macdonald—Sydney
Donald MacLean Sinclair—Halifax

Fraternally submitted,

J. McL. MARSHALL, 33°
R. C. BERKINSHAW, 33°
HOWARD B. MOORE, 33°
D. A. R. McCANNEL, 33°
C. H. CUNNINGHAM, 33°
Chairman.

On motion, the Report was adopted and the nominations confirmed.

The roll was called by the Grand Secretary-General on the nominations of Ill.° Bros.° George Barlow Ingraham, 33°; James Palmer Kent, 33°; George Stanley Rogers, 33°; Harvey Roy Doane, 33°, and David Monteith Taylor, 33°, who were duly declared elected to Active Membership.

The roll was again called by the Grand Secretary-General, on the nominations of the thirty-six Sublime Princes of the Royal Secret reported by the Committee and

these were declared elected to receive the Degree of Honorary Inspector-General, 33°, at the next Annual Meeting of our Supreme Council.

The Sovereign Grand Commander, assisted by Ill. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw, 33°, Past Sovereign Grand Commander, and Officers of the Council, then proceeded with the Ceremony of Installation of Bros. Ingraham, Kent, Rogers, Doane and Taylor as Active Members of this Supreme Council. Following the Ceremony, the newly installed members received a warm welcome from the other members present.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The Sovereign Grand Commander again referred to Supreme Council's loss in the passing of Ill. Bros. Hugh M. Dunlop, 33°, Thomas K. Wade, 33°, and Clarence MacL. Pitts, 33°, and the necessity of holding an election to fill the offices of Grand Treasurer-General and Grand Marshal, formerly occupied by two of these Brethren, and also to fill the offices of Grand Master of Ceremonies and Grand Standard Bearer, which had become vacant by the retirement of Ill. Bros. E. M. Dillon, 33°, and R. A. B. Wootton, 33°, respectively. The Sovereign Grand Commander also drew attention to his own dual role as Sovereign Grand Commander and Deputy for British Columbia, and of his desire to relinquish the latter office. He also informed the Brethren that during the past year he had appointed Ill. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw, 33°, as Grand Treasurer-General and Ill. Bro. W. C. McDonald, 33°, as Grand Marshal, each to hold such office until this Session. He then appointed Ill. Bros. H. E. Howard, 33°, and E. M. Dillon, 33°, as scrutineers and the ballots having been distributed, the scrutineers announced the following brethren had been elected to the respective offices which the Sovereign Grand Commander confirmed and declared them eligible for Installation; to hold such offices until the next triennial Election:

Ill. Bro. Donald M. Fleming, 33°,
as Grand Treasurer-General, H. E.

Ill. Bro. Walter C. McDonald, 33°, as Grand Marshal

Ill. Bro. Frederic J. Veale, 33°,
as Grand Master of Ceremonies

Ill. Bro. David M. Taylor, 33°,
as Deputy for British Columbia

Ill. Bro. Charles J. Boyle, 33°, as Grand Standard Bearer

After thanking the scrutineers, the Sovereign Grand Commander adjourned the Executive Session at 10:00 a.m., to re-convene again at 2:00 p.m.

GENERAL SESSION

The Honorary Inspectors-General were admitted and General Session re-opened at 10:30 a.m.

The Sovereign Grand Commander announced the Election of the new Active Members and presented them to Council, where they were received with applause. Ill. Bro. J. Palmer Kent, 33°, expressed the thanks of himself and the newly elected Members.

The Sovereign Grand Commander also announced the names of the newly elected Officers, and referred to the illness of Ill. Bro. J. Murray Gardiner, 33°, who had been a member of the Class on the previous evening.

Ill. Bro. Henry A. Vallieres, 33°, presented the following report of the Committee on the Allocution, and moved, seconded by Ill. Bro. Kenneth R. Nelson, 33°, that the Report be adopted. Ill. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw, 33°, Past Sovereign Grand Commander, declared the motion carried and the Report adopted:

**REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE ALLOCUTION
OF THE SOVEREIGN GRAND COMMANDER**

**To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish
Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—**

Illustrious Brethren:

Your Committee on the Allocution of the Sovereign Grand Commander has heard, reviewed and considered the Allocution and take pleasure in reporting as follows:

We join with our Sovereign Grand Commander in expressing our appreciation at meeting again, and for the 38th time, in this lovely City of Montreal. We appreciate our Sovereign Grand Commander's sentiments for Montreal, where he was admitted as an Honorary 33° Member 28 years ago, and we applaud his thanks to Illustrious Brother Donald L. Witter, Deputy for Quebec, and to his Committee for the excellency of their arrangements for our comfort.

It is with great joy that we join with our Sovereign Grand Commander in welcoming our distinguished visitors from other Jurisdictions, and in extending to their various Supreme Councils our most sincere fraternal greetings.

We, also, appreciate the co-operation of North American Supreme Councils in dealing with conditions which have developed in other parts of the world, and we are happy that there are signs of improvement.

We heartily and respectfully endorse our Sovereign Grand Commander's expressions of affection and abiding loyalty to our beloved Sovereign, Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

We compliment our Sovereign Grand Commander on his appointment as Grand Representative of the Supreme Council of the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction of the U.S.A. near our own.

With our Sovereign Grand Commander we grieve the death of two highly esteemed Past Sovereign Grand Commanders, Most Puissant Brother Thomas K. Wade and Most Puissant Brother Clarence MacL. Pitts. We realize that they were pillars of strength in this Supreme Council and highly respected in other Jurisdictions, and on whom our Sovereign Grand Commander expected to lean. However, we are confident of his ability to carry the load of his office efficiently.

We also mourn, with regret, the passing of Ill.°Bro.°Hugh M. Dunlop, 33°, Grand Marshal, of this Supreme Council, and of so many other distinguished Ill.°Brethren, and we extend our deepest sympathy to all our deceased Brethren's loved ones and to their respective Bodies of the Rite.

In reviewing the many duties performed, and the many visits made by our Sovereign Grand Commander we feel that he is to be highly commended for all the time and effort he has expended for the benefit of the Rite. Of particular interest are the Official Visits to Cariboo Lodge of Perfection where our Sovereign Grand Commander presided at the Ceremonies of Constitution and Consecration, and to the many other Bodies across the Dominion. We have no doubt that these many trips were strenuous though enjoyable and we agree that they will prove profitable.

We concur with our Sovereign Grand Commander's expressions of appreciation to the Deputies of the Provinces for their leadership and assistance to the various Bodies under their supervision, and with his congratulations to the Secretaries and Registrars for their faithful work and the interest created through the notices of meetings.

We approve the following appointments made by our Sovereign Grand Commander:

1. Ill.°Bro.°R. C. Berkinshaw, 33°, Grand Treasurer-General,
until the present Session.
2. Ill.°Bro.°Walter C. McDonald, 33°, Grand Marshal.
3. Ill.°Bros.°Howard B. Moore, 33° (Chairman)
J. Herbert Forbes, 33°
Audit and Finance Committee.
4. Ill.°Bro.°R. C. Berkinshaw, 33° (Vice-Chairman)
Committee on Foreign Relations.

We approve our Sovereign Grand Commander's recommendation of the following Ill.°Brethren as Grand Representatives near our Supreme Council:

Southern Jurisdiction of U.S.A.	Ill.°Bro.°R. C. Berkinshaw, 33°
Peru	Ill.°Bro.°W. G. Welby, 33°
Scotland	Ill.°Bro.°C.H.Cunningham, 33°
Switzerland	Ill.°Bro.°W. H. Gibson, 33°
Venezuela	Ill.°Bro.°R.H.Rutherford, 33°
Costa Rica	Ill.°Bro.°W. C. McDonald, 33°
Honduras	Ill.°Bro.°G. A. Wilson, 33°

We heartily agree with the personal thanks of our Sovereign Grand Commander in his praise of our Grand Secretary-General, Ill.:Bro.:W. G. Welby, 33° Assistant Grand Secretary-General, Ill.:Bro.:R. H. Rutherford, 33° (Honorary) and Miss Lees, for so faithfully and zealously serving this Supreme Council.

The foregoing covers all of our Sovereign Grand Commander's actions and recommendations reported in his Allocution and we heartily agree with all of them.

Lastly, we wish to express our appreciation for the privilege given us to report on our Sovereign Grand Commander's Allocution, and we extend to him on behalf of this Supreme Council, our sincere thanks for the very capable manner in which he has conducted the affairs of this Supreme Council and the most acceptable way in which he has honoured us in other Jurisdictions. May the Most High grant him continued good health, wisdom and strength which might be a source of happiness to himself and benefit to our Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite.

Respectfully submitted,
HENRY A. VALLIERES, 33°, Chairman
KENNETH R. NELSON, 33°
J. HERBERT FORBES, 33°

The Report of the Committee on Jurisprudence and Legislation, which follows, was presented by Ill.:Bro.: Arthur L. Scace, 33°, and on his motion, seconded by Ill.:Bro.:Donald M. Fleming, 33°, was adopted and confirmed:

**REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON JURISPRUDENCE
AND LEGISLATION**

**To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish
Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—**

Peers and Brethren:

The Committee on Jurisprudence and Legislation reports as follows:—

The Committee has before it Notices of Motion of Ill. Bro. W. G. Welby, the Grand Secretary-General, to amend s.s.(2) of Article 36, s.s.(e) of Article 35, s.s.(a) and s.s.(e) of Article 73 and s.s.(d) of Article 45.

We find no constitutional objections to these amendments.

Further, it is proper and within the competence of this Supreme Council to approve of these amendments.

The Sovereign Grand Commander has not found it necessary during the past year to exercise his authority under the Statutes and Regulations on issuing any rulings or making any decisions which demand the consideration of this Committee.

All of which is respectfully and fraternally submitted.

W. G. WELBY, 33°

DONALD M. FLEMING, 33°

E. M. DILLON, 33°

ARTHUR L. SCACE, 33°

Chairman.

NOTICES OF MOTION

Following the adoption of the Report of the Committee on Jurisprudence and Legislation, and in accordance with the Notices of Motion duly given, the Grand Secretary-General, Ill. Bro. W. G. Welby, 33°, then moved, seconded by Ill. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw, 33°, that the Statutes and Regulations of this Supreme Council be amended as follows:

1. Sub-section (2) of Article 36 be amended by deleting the words "thirty-first day of July" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "thirtieth day of June" so that sub-section shall read as follows:
"The fiscal year of this SUPREME COUNCIL shall close annually on the thirtieth day of June."
2. Sub-section (e) of Article 35 be amended by deleting the words "first day of June" in the last line

and inserting therein the words "first day of May" so that the said sub-section shall read as follows:

"furnish all Constituent Bodies of the Rite in this jurisdiction with blank returns in triplicate on or before the first day of May in each year."

3. Sub-section (a) of Article 73 be amended by deleting the words "thirtieth day of June" in the last line thereof and inserting in lieu thereof "thirty-first day of May", so that the said sub-section shall read as follows:

"Annual Returns to this SUPREME COUNCIL upon forms furnished by the Grand Secretary-General, shall be made in triplicate and shall include the transactions for the fiscal year ending thirty-first day of May."

4. Sub-section (e) of Article 73 be amended by deleting the words "fifteenth day of July" in the last line thereof and inserting in lieu thereof "fifteenth day of June", so that the sub-section shall read as follows:

"Returns to both Officers above named shall be made not later than the fifteenth day of June in each year."

5. Sub-section (d) Article 45—(withdrawals), be amended to read as follows:

"All cheques for withdrawal of money shall be requisitioned by the Grand Secretary-General, or in his absence or disability, by the Assistant Grand Secretary-General, and be signed by the Grand Treasurer-General and any one of the following: M.·P.·Sovereign Grand Commander; P.·Lieut.·Grand Commander; Chairman of the Audit and Finance Committee and the Grand Secretary-General or in the absence or disability of the Grand Treasurer-General, by any two of the four last named Officers.

Following a short explanation of the need of the amendments, the motion was unanimously carried.

The following Report of the Committee on the General State of the Rite was presented by Ill.·Bro.·T. M. Sieniewicz, 33°, and on his motion, seconded by Ill.·Bro.·D. A. R. McCannel, 33°, was received and adopted.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE GENERAL STATE OF THE RITE

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish
Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Peers and Brethren:

DEPUTIES' REPORTS

Your committee has restricted itself essentially to a report that is based on the reports of the Deputies on the activities and the state of the Rite in their respective jurisdictions.

This proved to be a most interesting and stimulating study.

We find, that in our discussions of the problems presented, we are very apt to transgress on the work of other committees. We plead forgiveness, because we are simply doing our best to reinforce the proposals and recommendations of other committees.

Your committee wishes to express its appreciation of the excellent manner in which their reports were prepared.

These reports reflect the proficiency and the capable leadership, not only of the Deputies, but also of our Honoraries and officers of all constituent bodies. They all deserve well-earned tributes.

Each of the Deputies has shown that he is closely in touch with all phases of Scottish Rite activity in his respective jurisdiction.

Our Deputies are to be commended for the time and the effort they give in the discharge of their duties.

The health of all constituent bodies is good.

At this point your Committee recommends that the reports of the Deputies be made, in the main, on a standard form. This becomes most important when analyzing statistical information.

MEMBERSHIP ENLISTMENT

Your Committee is pleased, but it also is concerned, with the results of the past year.

We find our membership is again at its all-time high, but our Grand Lodges continue showing not only a decreasing

membership, but also a decreasing number of initiates into Freemasonry.

Your Committee is also seriously concerned with the decreasing trend of candidates initiated into Scottish Rite Freemasonry.

Although statistics show a slightly increasing percentage of craft membership in the Scottish Rite, yet this is due principally to the falling Symbolic Masonry membership.

A statistical study of two periods of Symbolic or Craft Masonry and Scottish Rite Masonry has been made, viz., 1956 to 1960 and 1961 to 1965. This reveals facts that concern us.

First of all, there is noted a steadily-decreasing craft membership for about the past eight years.

The next observation shows that the rate of increasing membership in the Scottish Rite has dropped considerably in the second five-year period, 1961 to 1965, over that of the first five-year period.

The well-being of the Scottish Rite is predicated on the membership of Craft Masonry, and, therefore, whatever is good for Symbolic Masonry will be reflected favourably upon the Scottish Rite.

Your Committee feels that while we are engaged in endeavours to strengthen the Scottish Rite, it must also be our constant concern to study ways and means to strengthen the foundations of Craft, or Symbolic, Masonry.

We must interest young people in youth activities and in the Order of DeMolay. The leaders of Freemasonry will surely come from them. Here lies our best and logical assurance for continued vitality and strength of Freemasonry.

While we are on the subject of membership, your Committee feels that the present percentage of craftsmen advanced into the Scottish Rite should be higher than the 11 per cent, without affecting the high quality enjoyed by the Rite.

It is timely for us to realize that we are always faced with heavy losses resulting from deaths, suspensions, and withdrawals. Out of 1,090 admissions this year we lost from above causes 669. The net gain was 306. In other words, 72 per cent of the initiates were required to cover our losses.

At this point your committee recommends that an analysis of the causes of non-payment of dues and withdrawals be carefully studied and reported on by our Deputies at the next annual session of this Council.

MEMBERSHIP ATTENDANCE

Your committee now brings to your attention a related problem, membership attendance. We refer to attendance at regular meetings, even at the Reunions.

It is realized that many causes are responsible for this disorder. It is fully realized that an unusual competitiveness of demands has been created by compulsion of business and numerous other obligations, especially those of social and business clubs. The sincerity of these non-attending Brethren is not questioned. Masonry on that priority list of activities has reached rather low levels.

Have we become less important or less attractive? Are constituent bodies becoming too large, resulting in too great a dilution of personal acquaintanceship and intimate companionship?

How can we keep candidates coming after conferring degrees upon them?

In the main, Reunions seem to enjoy good attendance. No doubt the Committee on Advancement of the Rite will give this subject much study.

Your Committee is intensely interested in the recommendations, of a specific nature, that are to be issued in a special white paper in the very near future by the Committee on Advancement of the Rite.

Your Committee is greatly concerned with membership attendance at the obligatory Easter Ceremonies. The national percentage level is now down to 30 per cent. Reports of Deputies have registered attendance as low as 15 per cent.

Apparently the larger the body the smaller may be the attendance. Must the forces of persuasion be made greater? Should the Ritualistic Committee arrange to define these ceremonies more explicitly at the end of the 18°? Reading the proclamation is not enough. Your Committee makes this recommendation that the Ritualistic Committee may give this consideration.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE

REUNIONS

Many reunions have been referred to in the reports of Deputies. A reunion is still to be experienced in many centers. A reunion offers many opportunities, such as:

- (1) candidates, from distant points, may receive the required degrees in the space of one to three days.
- (2) provision of social functions and gatherings for the wives of candidates and members, and for the widows, who are too often forgotten unintentionally;
- (3) provision for luncheons and dinners for the membership, with addresses by outstanding speakers.

These opportunities do not present themselves when candidates receive their degrees singly. Your Committee strongly approves reunions.

SCOTTISH RITE CLUBS

Your Committee recognizes these to be of great value, especially in widely-extended geographical areas. Reports of the activities of these clubs are fascinating and interesting. These clubs often stimulate a Lodge of Perfection or a Chapter, by producing a cast for a degree, or hold modified Easter Ceremonies of their own. Undoubtedly they can be nuclei for future constituent bodies.

Your Committee is highly pleased with the work of the Scottish Rite Clubs in Canada, and feels that there should be more of them. They have proven of great value in obtaining initiates from Craft Lodges which are difficult to deal with because of their remoteness from capital points. They are flourishing, and contribute a great deal toward the morale and well-being of the Rite.

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

Your Committee feels the publication of the Councillor was most worthwhile, and recommends that at least two, and preferably three, issues should be published per year.

Publications in the nature of a news-letter by constituent bodies should be encouraged.

The Committee recommends to the Deputies that their annual reports should be printed and sent out to the memberships in their jurisdiction.

Ritualistic work of all bodies is of the highest order, and is steadily improving. The Consistory of Edmonton, Alberta, is to be congratulated in its exemplification of the 21° for the first time by the Central Alberta Lodge of Perfection. Your Committee very highly approves of inter-Valley visitations, especially if degrees are exemplified.

The visitations of Moore Sovereign Consistory to Coudersport, Pa., and to Buffalo for the purpose of portraying degrees cannot be commended too highly.

Your Committee recommends that a study be made of ritual music. There is no specific programme that can be offered to a body requesting such.

Ritualistic Seminars are necessary, and it is hoped that a beginning may be made soon.

Your Committee congratulates the Ill. Deputy for Manitoba for the production of a well-prepared detailed report dealing with the subject of Advancement of the Rite. This deserves careful study on the part of all Deputies.

HISTORIES

The Committee is very happy with the progress that has been made in the past year.

JEWELS

The Committee has noted that all Brethren who have completed 50 years of membership in the Scottish Rite have been presented by Supreme Council with the 50-year jewel. We offer congratulations and best wishes to each of them.

SPACING OF REUNIONS

The Committee suggests that the Deputies check work schedules of the various bodies, so that candidates may proceed from the Lodge of Perfection to the Chapter and to the Consistory without undue delay, as the waiting periods have been removed.

NECROLOGY

The Committee has been profoundly shocked by the death of three of our Illustrious Grand Stalwarts of the Scottish Rite. Past Sov. Gr. Cdr. Ill. Bro. Thomas Kingsmill Wade, 33°, Past Sov. Gr. Cdr. Ill. Bro. Clarence MacLeod Pitts, 33°,

Ill. Bro. Hugh Macdonald Dunlop, 33°. We lament because we cannot hear their familiar voices at this meeting. The balustres of this Supreme Council contain our tributes of all members whose labours on this earth have been finished and who with joy and gladness entered into the Heavenly Kingdom.

RELATIONSHIPS

Very cordial relationships exist with all Grand Lodges and concordant bodies.

We rejoice with the delightful happiness existing between this Supreme Council and that of the Southern and Northern Masonic Jurisdictions of the U.S.A.

BENEVOLENT FOUNDATION

Your Committee considers the establishment of this Foundation as probably the greatest transaction in the history of this Supreme Council.

We cannot close this report without expressing our deep appreciation for the splendid co-operation your Committee has received from the Deputies, from members of the staff of Supreme Council, from the Grand Secretary-General, the Assistant Grand Secretary, and from our beloved Sovereign Grand Commander.

Respectfully submitted,

T. M. SIENIEWICZ, 33°, Chairman

D. A. R. McCANNEL, 33°

R. M. STANTON, 33°.

Ill. Bro. Walter H. Gibson, 33°, presented the Report of the Sovereign Grand Commander's Special Committee on the Foundation and moved, seconded by Ill. Bro. Howard B. Moore, 33°, that the Report appended below be adopted and the Committee discharged. Ill. Bro. Donald M. Fleming, 33°, referred to the contribution of Ill. Bro. Walter S. Owen, 33°, in clearing the non-taxable features of the Foundation through the British Columbia taxation authorities. Ill. Bro. R. Coulton Berkinshaw, 33°, also drew to the attention of the Brethren, certain characteristics of the Charter of the Foundation, particularly as to the allocation of gifts between Capital and Income. The motion adopting the Report and discharging the Committee was then unanimously carried.

**REPORT OF THE SOVEREIGN GRAND COMMANDER'S
COMMITTEE FOR THE FORMATION
OF A FOUNDATION**

**To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish
Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—**

Illustrious Brethren:

During the report of the Committee on Permanent Fiscal Policies the Chairman of your Foundation Committee was named with power to add, and with the approval of the Sovereign Grand Commander the following Committee was named—Ill.'.Bro.'.A. L. Seace, Ill.'.Bro.'.Howard B. Moore, Ill.'.Bro.'.Donald M. Fleming, Ill.'.Bro.'.R. C. Berkinshaw, the Grand Secretary-General and the Grand Treasurer-General with Ill.'.Bro.'.Howard B. Moore as Vice Chairman.

Immediately following Supreme Council a number of meetings of the Committee were held in the office of Ill.'.Bro.'.Donald M. Fleming and the Committee is deeply grateful to him for this accommodation. We are also grateful for the assistance of his associate James T. Gow, Q.C. in the preparation of our application for Incorporation and our By-Laws which resulted in the incorporating of "The Scottish Rite Charitable Foundation of Canada" dated November 10th, 1964 and recorded February 23rd, 1965, by Letters Patent issued by the Secretary of State for Canada.

After our application for Charter was made, the Committee suffered a grievous loss through the death of our Grand Treasurer-General Ill.'.Bro.'.Thomas K. Wade, who had contributed much through his wise counsel during the early meetings of the Committee. Your Committee would also express sincere appreciation to Supreme Council for their interest and support in paying the costs of incorporation, and other costs incidental to the organization of the Foundation.

This has been a working Committee. I am happy to report that every member of the Committee has attended each meeting in spite of the fact that occasionally it was necessary to call a meeting on very short notice. In spite of this every member was present and I know in several cases at very great inconvenience. This I sincerely appreciate.

With this report I believe the work of the committee is completed.

WALTER H. GIBSON, 33°,
Chairman.

The Report of the Committee on Audit and Finance, which follows, was presented by Ill.^o.Bro.^o.Howard B. Moore, 33^o, and on his motion, seconded by Ill.^o.Bro.^o.Donald M. Fleming, 33^o, the Report, including the Reports of the Grand Secretary-General and Grand Treasurer-General and the Budget for the ensuing year, was received and adopted.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON AUDIT AND FINANCE

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Peers and Brethren:

The Reports of the Grand Secretary-General and the Grand Treasurer-General have been reviewed and satisfactory results of operations have been shown.

A complete audit has been made and that report, certified by our Auditor, with this report and the reports of the Grand Treasurer-General and Grand Secretary-General are recommended for adoption. The Committee notes with approval the new presentation of the Financial Statement as prepared by our Auditor this year.

A copy of the Budget for 1965-66 has been supplied to all Active and Past Active Members and it should be considered sufficient for all authorized payment requirements throughout the year. A copy of the Budget is appended to this report.

Our thanks are tendered to the Assistant Grand Secretary-General and Miss Lees.

Fraternally submitted,

HOWARD B. MOORE, 33^o,
Chairman

FREDERICK E. BELSHAM, 33^o
J. HERBERT FORBES, 33^o.

**AUDIT AND FINANCE COMMITTEE
BUDGET FOR 1965-1966**

Estimated Revenue

		1965-66	1964-65
Admissions, 33°	40 @ \$150.00—	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 4,500.00
" Consistories	650 @ 5.00—	3,250.00	3,250.00
" Chapters.....	900 @ 3.00—	2,700.00	2,700.00
" Lodges	1000 @ 5.00—	5,000.00	5,500.00
Dues, all Bodies	61338 @ .40—	24,535.20	24,154.80
Registration Fees		2,500.00	nil
Revenue Income		\$43,985.20	\$40,104.80
Investment Income		20,106.50	19,400.00
Total		\$64,091.70	\$59,504.80

Estimated Expenses

Salaries, Officers and Office Expenses	\$22,820.40
Rent and Heat	1,700.00
Printing and Stationery	7,400.00
Rituals, Rings, Jewels	1,300.00
Annual Session	19,400.00
Contingent Fund, promotion, etc.	3,000.00
Donations	2,000.00
	\$57,620.40

On motion of Ill. Bro. R. Coulton Berkinshaw, 33°, seconded by Ill. Bro. Arthur L. Scace, 33°, Ill. Bro. A. W. Parish, 32°, was re-elected Auditor for the ensuing year.

The following Report of the Special Committee on Library and Archives was presented by Ill. Bro. J. Herbert Forbes, 33°, and on his motion, seconded by Ill. Bro. Reginald C. Hodsman, 33°, was received and adopted.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE
REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE
ON LIBRARY AND ARCHIVES

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish
Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Illustrious Brethren:

“A wise nation preserves its records and gathers up its muniments.”

Those words, written a century ago, are still true.

Your committee is continuing its work in assembling and classifying material which records the labors and trials of our founders.

Continuing study of this material deepens our regard for those who established our beloved Rite. It also enlarges our vision and strengthens us for future endeavours.

We express continuing gratitude to Ill. Bro. R. V. Harris for contributions, and his continuing zeal.

Three papers, presented by The Canadian Masonic Research Association have been received.

“The First Fifty Years of Perfection Lodge No. 9, (G. R. Alberta), of Calgary, 1895-1945, by R. W. Bro. Fred Parker.

Loyalist Masons of the Mohawk Valley”, by E. F. Dougherty, of St. Patrick’s Lodge No. 4, G.L. of New York, Johnstown, N.Y.

“Godfrey de Bouillon Preceptory No. 3, Hamilton, Ont.”, by M. E. R. V. Harris.

Further items are expected from this source.

Respectfully submitted,

J. HERBERT FORBES, 33°,
Chairman.

REGINALD V. HARRIS, 33°
R. C. HODSMAN, 33°
H. B. JACKSON, 33°.
C. H. CUNNINGHAM, 33°

The Grand Secretary-General announced that the Box of Fraternal Assistance had yielded \$281.05 on Tuesday evening, and that this had been turned over to the Montreal Valley for the use of its almoner.

The Sovereign Grand Commander referred to the presence at this Session of Ill. Bro. Alexander H. McKee, 33°, our second oldest Honorary Inspector-General, who had been Coroneted in 1924, and gave him a warm welcome, which was loudly applauded by all the Brethren.

The Session adjourned at 12:15 p.m., for luncheon and to resume in GENERAL SESSION at 2:30 p.m.

LUNCHEON, WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15th, 1965

Luncheon was served in the Marquette Room, where Ill. Bro. Agnew H. Johnston, 33°, invoked the Blessing. The Sovereign Grand Commander then presented Ill. Bros. S. A. Fleming, 33°, T. F. Kingsmill, 33°, and D. F. Horton, 33°, all of whom had been members of the Class receiving the 33° on Tuesday evening, as representatives of various sections of our country. These three brethren addressed the Brethren with suitable remarks and thanks, all of which were heartily applauded.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

An Executive Session was re-opened at 2:00 p.m., for a short order of business, which being concluded, the GENERAL SESSION re-opened at 2:30 p.m.

GENERAL SESSION

The Report of the Sovereign Grand Commander's Special Committee on General Fiscal Policies which had previously been scrutinized in Executive Session, together with the Resolution appended thereto was then presented by the Chairman, Ill. Bro. Howard B. Moore, 33°, in the following form:

**REPORT OF THE SOVEREIGN GRAND COMMANDER'S
SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON GENERAL FISCAL POLICIES**

**To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish
Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—**

Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander:

The Special Committee on General Fiscal Policies appointed by Sovereign Grand Commander Berkinshaw following the Session in 1961 presents its final report, which is a consolidation of previous Reports, one in 1963 and the other in 1964, with a few minor alterations.

The original Committee consisted of:

	Ill.° Bro.° B. V. Atkinson
	Walter H. Gibson
	W. G. Welby
	G. A. Wilson
with	R. C. Berkinshaw
	T. K. Wade
	C. H. Cunningham
	Hugh M. Dunlop
	as members ex-officio
and	Howard B. Moore, Chairman.

There are tragic overtones to this report because of changes in its personnel. Ill.° Bro.° Atkinson requested transfer to Past Active rank when he moved beyond the borders of our Jurisdiction. In his stead the Sovereign Grand Commander appointed Ill.° Bro.° H. A. Vallieres.

Then the lightning of death struck twice within days; first Ill.° Bro.° Hugh M. Dunlop, and then Ill.° Bro.° Thomas K. Wade.

However, their duties on this Committee had been admirably performed and they had subscribed to all that is covered in this report.

The Terms of Reference were set out in a letter by the Grand Secretary-General dated November 28th, 1961, as follows:

1. To review the permanent fiscal policy of Supreme Council as adopted at the Annual Session in 1951, pages 111 to 114 inclusive, and in doing so to refer to the report of the Committee established by the Sovereign Grand Commander upon which the permanent fiscal policy was based;

2. To study with members of the Audit and Finance Committee the present status of funds established to finance commutation of dues in constituent bodies in which the commutation plan is operated;
3. To review the fiscal position of each constituent body, having in mind the relation between operating cost, current dues structure, etc.;
4. To report to the Sovereign Grand Commander any findings and recommendations that the Committee feels should have the attention of Council, such recommendations to include any suggested amendments that would appear to be desirable.

It is intended that the above Terms of Reference are not restrictive in nature but are to include any matter relating to the continuing fiscal welfare and financial stability of Supreme Council and its several constituent bodies.

To the foregoing the Sovereign Grand Commander added: Consequently I should like to broaden the Terms of Reference of your Committee to include a survey, not only of monetary and fiscal matters insofar as they relate to Supreme Council itself, but to follow up on the Committee on Commutation of Dues which functioned from 1951 to 1954.

The Committee has held four meetings, conducted extensive correspondence, made careful study and, Council having made certain decisions, is now able to render a final report.

In pursuing our studies we have been impressed with the thoroughgoing work of the Committee appointed in October, 1950, under the Chairmanship of Ill. Bro. Berkinshaw, whose recommendations were dealt with by Council in 1951.

We have been glad to use the Report of that Committee as a base from which to operate as it is our opinion that a splendid service was rendered to Council at that time.

Our studies have included:

1. The amount and sufficiency of the reserve funds of Supreme Council.
2. The question of amending Article 37 to permit investments in securities authorized by federal statute for insurance companies.

3. Donations and grants for benevolent purposes.
4. Staff salary schedules.
5. Provisions for staff pensions.
6. Fees and dues.
7. Sales of certificates, rituals, constitutions, etc.
8. Mileage and Expenses, Article 46.
9. Cost of Special Projects.
10. Cost of Annual Sessions.
11. Annual detailed budget.

and in this report we shall deal with these subjects in the same order.

SECTION I.

THE AMOUNT AND SUFFICIENCY OF THE RESERVE FUNDS OF SUPREME COUNCIL

Our capital funds have enjoyed satisfactory growth after having provided for increased expenses. In 1951 we set a sum of \$350,000 as a desirable goal. We have exceeded that amount but in the meantime the dollar has shrunk in value and will probably experience further shrinkage in the future.

Our report for 1962 showed capital funds of \$495,000, which (having in mind today's value of the dollar) we believe to be the approximate equivalent of \$350,000 in 1951.

We then asked the question, "Are we to continue to live within ourselves and to provide only security for the Council's future, including probable increases in expense, reasonable promotional effort, etc. — or — do we have a desire to take part as a body in one of the great demands of the needful world in which we live?" If we are to continue to grow and operate as a Council with the influence it can and should have, your Committee feels that we have an obligation to ourselves and to others to extend our vision to a wider horizon.

In order to bring this question into sharp focus and to provoke appropriate debate your Committee recommended that a suggestion submitted to it by the then Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander be adopted. In the opinion of your Committee our funds were then, and promised to continue to be, sufficient to meet our requirements adequately, and looking out upon the humanitarian works on every hand that are appealing for support, the recommendation was that Supreme Council establish a Foundation to enable the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite to participate in some good work beyond its own confines.

We envisioned a Foundation that would meet all legal requirements, that would operate under a duly appointed Board of Trustees, that would be set up in such a manner that gifts and bequests to the Fund would not be taxable, and that upon determination by Council as to the work to which the income of the Fund would be devoted, the sum of \$100,000 be transferred from our general funds to the Foundation as a base.

In making this suggestion we did not have in mind a "drive" for funds, but at the same time adequate notice to all Scottish Rite Masons that the Foundation seeks support from those who believe in its purpose and who are willing and able to contribute should be given from time to time.

Your Committee is confident that the trend of our funds made a sound proposal.

Your Committee is of the opinion that there are and will be Scottish Rite Masons who would like to find the name of the Rite identified with some good, sound, well known, well administered, humanitarian work; as examples, research in juvenile delinquency, or the mental illness of children. Members of this Committee were impressed with the number and nature of opportunities.

At the 1964 Session the Committee presented the following figures showing the trend of our resources over a period of fourteen years:

Year	Total Funds	General Expenses	Surplus
1951	\$275,326.30	\$23,384.07	\$18,177.76
1952	288,179.83	29,573.67	12,853.53
1953	312,602.81	22,050.38	24,422.98
1954	332,549.49	26,474.22	19,946.68
1955	348,869.10	27,111.22	16,319.61
1956	366,701.64	31,689.06	17,832.54
1957	389,249.97	31,451.67	22,548.33
1958	409,425.23	33,983.51	20,175.26
1959	436,679.10	31,704.71	27,253.87
1960	452,514.27	42,368.24	15,272.67
1961	469,128.41	40,533.68	17,094.17
1962	494,552.53	34,664.12	25,726.41
1963	518,609.74	38,675.12	23,979.09
1964	520,106.98	62,144.39	2,108.27

It will be noted that our total fiscal resources have increased by approximately 90%, and our expenses by approxi.

mately 165%, although the bases for these percentages are very different.

While surpluses have not been uniform, each year has shown a surplus.

Your Committee feels that full credit should be given to the Committee whose recommendations resulted in sound policies, and to the succeeding administrations whose wisdom and zeal have brought about the position in which we then found ourselves. (The Chairman of the former Committee "abstains.")

It was and is recommended that Supreme Council augment its resources by continuing the policy we have been following, and thus be prepared for contingencies that may arise, including rising costs, the diminution of the value of the dollar, and any others that cannot now be foreseen.

It was felt that the results shown fully justified the action of Council in establishing a Charitable Foundation.

This brought your Committee to a specific recommendation as to a field or project for the immediate future.

There are many needs for financial support, most, if not all, worthy of support, and well administered, but it was and is the consensus of your Committee that Supreme Council should concentrate on one, at least and until funds for such purposes enable Supreme Council to support others.

On capital of \$100,000 earnings could not be expected to exceed \$5,000 per annum, and to fragment our funds would appear to be unwise.

Your Committee therefore recommended that Supreme Council's support be given to a specific field of the work of the Canadian Association for Retarded Children, and that our particular segment of their work be research.

There can be no question as to need in this field. Great strides are being made and results are encouraging, but when the magnitude, the prevalence, and the incidence of retardation are considered, this recommendation is made with supreme confidence that this field offers an excellent project for Supreme Council.

Your Committee recommended, therefore, that upon approval of the above project:

1. a Charitable Foundation be established, under control of this Supreme Council, and that Council authorize (a) the employment of any professional services required, and (b) the payment of all costs incurred in obtaining a Charter or Letters-Patent;
2. unless otherwise directed by this Supreme Council, or by any donor to the Foundation, the revenue from the funds of the Foundation be applied to research, and as an initial project, Supreme Council collaborate with the Canadian Association for Retarded Children;
3. upon incorporation of the said Charitable Foundation, securities to the face value of \$100,000 be transferred, under Deed of Gift, from the funds of Supreme Council to those of the Foundation, and pending such incorporation, Supreme Council's Trustees pay the sum of \$5,000 as a contribution to the Canadian Association for Retarded Children for research purposes, on condition and terms to be agreed upon between the said Trustees and the said Association.

Enabling legislation was passed authorizing grants for benevolent purposes and appropriations to any Foundation or Trust which may be established or approved by this Supreme Council for Charitable purposes; and also authorizing the Board of Trustees to acquire and dispose of real and personal property of and for this Supreme Council, but subject from time to time to the instructions of this Supreme Council.

Acting upon the authorization and directions of Council a Committee consisting of

Illustrious Brethern R. C. Berkinshaw
T. K. Wade
W. G. Welby
W. H. Gibson
Hon. D. M. Fleming
A. L. Scace
H. B. Moore

engaged the services of Messrs. Blake, Cassels & Graydon to make application for the necessary Charter.

Your Committee is pleased to note that Council has now established The Scottish Rite Charitable Foundation of Canada under Letters-Patent from the Secretary of State of Canada, embodying the above suggestions, and has authorized the transfer from Council's funds of \$100,000 in bonds.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE

A pro tem Board of Directors has been elected as follows:

President	Walter H. Gibson
Vice-President	Howard B. Moore
Secretary	W. G. Welby
Treasurer	R. C. Berkinshaw
Directors	Hon. Donald M. Fleming
	Arthur L. Scace

SECTION 2

THE QUESTION OF AMENDING ARTICLE 37 TO PERMIT
INVESTMENT IN SECURITIES AUTHORIZED BY
FEDERAL STATUTE FOR INSURANCE COMPANIES

There is usually a tendency in times of economic buoyancy for both individuals and organizations to feel that policies adopted as safe and conservative lean too much in that direction and that they do not take sufficient advantage of current opportunities in certain fields of investment.

During the years following 1929 the conservative financiers were the only ones who survived and while few were unscathed many of them weathered the great economic storm.

More recently we have seen further demonstrations of the response of the market to political and other influences.

The question of forms of investment other than good bonds holds out great temptation in buoyant periods but it is the view of your Committee that, having in mind the necessity of close and continuous supervision of these "other investments" and the cost involved in paying for the necessary supervision by others, together with the fact that Supreme Council could not appropriately adopt one policy and expect Constituent Bodies to follow another, we should continue to restrict our investments to authorized trustee securities. However, and because of the foregoing, we should not enter the mortgage field except indirectly through the purchase, for example, of the debentures of corporations that deal in mortgages and have the experience and administrative machinery capable of providing vital day-to-day supervision.

The above concensus of the Committee was reiterated in 1964 and was approved by Council in its adoption of the Committee's Report, first paragraph, page 164.

The Committee recommended an amendment to the Statutes which would have the effect of broadening the powers of the Trustees in certain desirable respects. This has to do with Article 37. The necessary amendment was adopted in the approval of the Report of the Committee on Jurisprudence and Legislation, page 146, Proceedings 1964.

SECTION 3

DONATIONS AND GRANTS FOR BENEVOLENT PURPOSES

The Committee on Permanent Fiscal Policy made the following recommendation in its report to Council in 1951:

“This Committee questions neither the wisdom, the propriety nor the necessity of the donations and grants for Benevolent Purposes made by Supreme Council under the extraordinary conditions which have prevailed during the past twenty years. In all likelihood, if we are faced with similar conditions in the future, we would feel obliged to give as much again. Nevertheless, we are of the opinion that Supreme Council has been more than generous in the amount of moneys which it has voted and appropriated, taking into consideration its capital resources, revenue, expenses and its obligation to promote and develop Scottish Rite Freemasonry in Canada. We are, therefore, entirely in accord with the recommendations of the Committee on Audit and Finance (1950 Proceedings, p. 123) that donations to outside activities should only be made ‘in the event of a national emergency “on the war level” when “need” would be the only command we would require and our total resources the only limit.’ And further, we agree that if Supreme Council would appear to have funds to spare, such funds should be held in reserve for use in the general development and promotion of the activities, interests and strength of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry in this jurisdiction.

It is recommended, therefore, that until such time as the reserve fund of Supreme Council has been augmented to the extent of an additional \$100,000, the amount annually devoted for benevolent purposes under Article 29 (m) for disposition of the Sovereign Grand Commander should not exceed the sum of \$2,000 and if this sum is not expended during the year, the unexpended portion of the funds so

appropriated shall not be carried over for disposition during a subsequent period."

It is the view of your Committee that, aside from continuing to budget each year for \$2,000 to be used for charitable or benevolent purposes in the discretion of the Sovereign Grand Commander, decision on other gifts should be taken from time to time by Supreme Council itself.

SECTION 4

STAFF SALARY SCHEDULES

At the 1951 Session the following was reported:

"Your Committee was requested to review the salaries paid to the permanent staff and consider whether any compensation should be paid to other officers of Supreme Council for their services as such. As a general principle, your Committee recommends that no remuneration should be paid for any services to any Sovereign Grand Inspector-General, who may, for the time being, occupy one or more of the various offices provided under the Statutes and Regulations.

Taking the case of the Grand Secretary-General as an instance, it is noted that Article 35 provides that he 'shall receive such compensation for his services as the Supreme Council shall from time to time designate.' Your Committee recommends that the Grand Secretary-General, or any other officer of Supreme Council acting within the scope of such duties as may be delegated to him, should be reimbursed for all necessary travelling, entertaining and other incidental expenses which may be incurred by him in the performance of his official duties and when acting on behalf of Supreme Council, provision for which should be made in an annual budget to be submitted to, considered and approved by Supreme Council in order to exercise such control over the total amount to be expended as may be found advisable, but this Committee recommends that no compensation should be voted for the Grand Secretary-General's services as such during any period when an Assistant Grand Secretary-General is paid a salary to perform the detailed work of that office.

The principles enunciated above would also be applicable in the case of any other officer or member of Supreme Council who may be authorized to incur expenses in the performance of such duties as may be pertinent to his office or as may be designated to him from time to time by the Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander."

SECTION 5

PROVISION FOR STAFF PENSIONS

This Section was dealt with in 1951 as follows:

"This Committee was requested to give consideration to the establishment of the pension fund to be used for the ultimate retirement of the full-time salaried staff of Supreme Council. After giving the subject thorough study and consideration, this Committee concludes that in view of the small number of personnel involved, the establishment of a pension fund that would be adequate to provide retirement allowances for the full-time salaried staff would place too great a burden on the financial resources of Supreme Council and is neither a practical nor an advisable means of meeting any obligations which Supreme Council may have or wish to assume in this regard. However, when a full-time salaried official or employee of Supreme Council is due to retire after many years of service, there resides a moral obligation to make some form of superannuation allowance, the amount of which would depend on the special circumstances of each individual case. To fulfil any such obligation in so far as the present Assistant Grand Secretary-General is concerned your Committee recommends to the favorable consideration of Supreme Council a proposal that arrangements be made for the purchase of a Canadian Government Annuity on some predetermined and acceptable contributory basis."

The important matters covered by both of the foregoing Sections (IV and V) are reviewed annually by the Sovereign Grand Commander, the Grand Secretary-General and the Grand Treasurer-General who follow the principles enunciated in 1951. Your Committee feels that in this way these matters are handled to the entire satisfaction of Supreme Council.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE

SECTION 6

FEES AND DUES

After extensive review of our Fees and Dues structure, the then state and the probable course of Supreme Council funds, by the Committee on Permanent Fiscal Policy, and on a recommendation by the Committee on Audit and Finance, in which the Committee on Fiscal Policy concurred, Council adopted the schedule in Article 45 (b) and (c).

It is recommended that, in the light of our financial experience since that time this schedule be reconfirmed. However, expenses are increasing substantially and Canada is becoming increasingly important in International Scottish Rite Affairs with consequent prospective increased expenses in that area, and special circumstances may require an upward revision in our fees and dues structure.

SECTION 7

SALE OF CERTIFICATES, RITUALS,
CONSTITUTIONS, ETC.

Your Committee concurs in the principle enunciated in the report of the 1951 Committee, as follows:

"The itemized expenditures for printing and stationery over the past three years were reviewed by your Committee, as well as the revenues derived from the sale of Supreme Council publications, rituals, certificates, and so forth, during the same period. A comparison of the costs with the selling prices of these various items discloses that the prices now established are not excessive but are sufficient to cover the cost to Supreme Council. The scale of prices should be reviewed from time to time and revised as may be required.

It is the recommendation of this Committee that as a general principle, the selling price of individual items should be established at no higher levels than would reasonably cover the overall cost to Supreme Council."

In the opinion of your Committee there is no need or justification for making any change in these prices at the present time.

SECTION 8

MILEAGE AND EXPENSES

Article 46 specifies those to whom expenses under this Section shall be paid.

The 1951 Committee on Fiscal Policy gave careful consideration to the subject and commented as follows:

"After consideration of the question of mileage and expense allowances to Active and Past Active Members attending sessions of Supreme Council and other items of expenses for which provision is made in Article 46, and reviewing the references to this subject contained in the reports of the Committee on Audit and Finance submitted at the last two Annual Sessions of Supreme Council, this Committee concludes that the practice of paying allowances for transportation and other expenses to Active and Past Active Members of Supreme Council only, without exception, should be continued. Any other policy would involve an undesirable differentiation between one Active Member and another. Even though some might be financially able or willing to personally pay any such expenses, it would be neither fair nor equitable to suggest that they do so. In view of the increased cost of travel, hotel charges, etc., the standard allowances, which has been used for past years, namely 10c per mile one way, plus \$25.00 for all hotel and other expenses, was reviewed by this Committee. The conclusion was reached that, although such a scale of allowances does not by any means adequately cover the expenses which have to be incurred by the Active Members in attending Sessions of Supreme Council, and although it is recognized that some Members who attend out of a high sense of duty may do so at a cost which they really cannot afford, no upward revision of the former standard should be made at the present time, when the financial positions not only of Supreme Council, but of the various constituent Bodies of the Rite in Canada are under close scrutiny and review.

It is also suggested that the scale of allowances be set at each Session for the following year in order that the Grand Treasurer-General and the Members concerned may know in advance the approximate extent of their reimbursement."

In the Interim, because of rapidly increasing expenses in travelling and because lengthened periods during which Members have been required to spend where Sessions are being held, it has been found necessary to alter the scale referred to above. Consequently the Sovereign Grand Commanders have appointed Special Committees to make the necessary studies and recommend action to Council under the suggestion in the last paragraph above.

Your Committee feels that treatment of expenses under this Section must be dictated by changing circumstances and that the present practice (that of appointing Special Committees from time to time as conditions change) should continue to be followed.

SECTION 9

COST OF SPECIAL PROJECTS

Your Committee is of opinion that there is provision in the Statutes at the present time for sufficient latitude to enable the Sovereign Grand Commander to deal adequately with special projects with which Council may be confronted.

"The Supreme Councillor" comes under this item. Careful thought has been given to suggestions of more frequent publication, perhaps on a self-sustaining basis. Having in mind the possible content of a publication, the interest that could (or could not) be engendered in all parts of Canada, and perhaps even more particularly, the staff required and the probable cost involved, your Committee recommends that for the present there continue to be one publication annually, perhaps somewhat expanded.

We have seen the results of action on this recommendation in the last issue of the Councillor.

SECTION 10

THE COST OF ANNUAL SESSIONS

In the Report of the Special Committee on Permanent Fiscal Policies in 1951 the following appears:

"Specifically, therefore, we recommend that to assist in meeting a part of these expenses, extraordinary and other.

wise, each Member in attendance at Annual Sessions shall be requested to pay a sessional charge of \$10, plus an additional charge of \$5 for his wife and any extra guests who may accompany him. Visitors from foreign jurisdictions, members resident in the host Valley and candidates would be exempt from the sessional charge of \$10. The Constituent Bodies acting as hosts would be responsible for collecting the appropriate charges and would retain 50% of the total received."

That recommendation was not acted upon at that time. On the same subject, this Committee said, in its interim report in 1963:

"It is the concensus of your Committee that Sessions should be held annually—once a year for a virile organization is not too much. It is also our view that Supreme Council should be prepared to assume such part of the cost of Sessions as appears to be desirable or necessary; in other words your Committee feels that a Session should not be permitted to be a burden on a Valley.

We are somewhat apprehensive that efforts of the Valleys to entertain Supreme Council are becoming something of a competition. Council welcomes warm and generous cooperation and the willingness of any Valley to make our Sessions memorable, but our Constituent Bodies are by no means equal in fiscal position and embarrassment to any Constituent Body, its Officers, or to Supreme Council itself, should be avoided."

Examination of the costs of the Annual Sessions of 1963 and 1964 and the estimated expenses of 1965 indicate a sharp increase in the trend of costs to Supreme Council and to the host Bodies.

Your Committee confirms the views expressed above, and recent experience has given greater emphasis to the need for appropriate action.

Your Committee is pleased to note that following its recommendation in its Interim Report, Council has instituted a Registration charge of \$15 for each Member attending an Annual Session, and \$10 for each guest accompanying him, commencing with the Annual Session in 1965; that guests from foreign jurisdictions and candidates be exempt from this charge; that the charge be paid at the time of registration; and

that one half of the total amount received be paid to the host Body.

It is understood that the above in no way limits the authority of the Sovereign Grand Commander in dealing with the subject of Session expense.

SECTION 11

ANNUAL DETAILED BUDGET

Your Committee finds that the recommendation respecting budgeting has been adopted and carried out in a thoroughly satisfactory manner.

SECTION 12

COMMUTATION OF DUES

The Audit and Finance Committee has made a review based upon Returns from the Constituent Bodies operating on a "Commutation of Dues" basis, and progress is noted.

However, information in the hands of the Committee indicates that there are discrepancies between liquid assets and requirements. This is of vital importance to the individual Bodies concerned and to Supreme Council.

It is felt that there may be too much complacency in some instances because of the prosperity of recent years and the large intake of members. The Committee emphasizes the fact that a contractual arrangement exists between the Body and each member whose dues have been commuted, and Supreme Council shares the responsibility for seeing that this obligation is fully protected.

It is recommended that the Audit and Finance Committee keep the Illustrious Deputies informed as to any constituent Body whose liquid assets do not conform to the requirements as provided under the formula adopted in 1948 by the Committee on Commutation of Dues and in use since that time, and that the Deputies be charged with the duty of informing the Body concerned that steps must be taken to correct the situation.

Formerly it was suggested (and considered sufficient) that the matter of Commutation of Dues and the standing of all commutation funds be reviewed triennially. Now your Committee recommends that Returns, on forms to be provided by the Grand Secretary-General, be required annually; that a Committee on Commutation of Dues be appointed forthwith, and that close liaison be maintained between that Committee and the Audit and Finance Committee.

This Committee also recommends that new forms for Returns be provided and that a detailed report on the status of each fund be made to Council in 1966.

SECTION 13

FINANCIAL STABILITY

In 1964 figures taken from Returns received from Constituent Bodies indicated a disturbing disparity between operating costs and annual dues in some Bodies. There were sharp differences of opinion expressed at that time, and your Committee now feels that new forms should be provided that will provide definite information on this subject, and that these new forms be provided by the Grand Secretary-General and required along with the Returns in 1966.

With the information thus provided, we recommend that a report on this situation be required in 1966.

SECTION 14

SUGGESTION OF A REVOLVING LOAN FUND

The Committee received a proposal that a revolving fund from which loans could be made to Constituent Bodies be established. This has had careful consideration, but having in mind the amount of Council's funds and its commitment to another major project, the Committee has not found it possible to recommend embarking upon a loan fund at this time.

CONCLUSION

Your Committee feels that it has discharged the duties and responsibilities with which it was charged. It is hoped that Council will find it possible to adopt the recommendations made, and that rather than look upon this Report as something to be "deposited in our archives" it will, on the other hand be used as a "book of reference" so that, in this rapidly changing world our entire fiscal structure will be kept fluid and our attention to it kept current.

The members of this Committee deeply appreciate the compliment contained in their appointment; they desire to express appreciation for the generous co-operation they have had and for the close attention given to all aspects of its work by the Members of Council.

The Committee also hopes that its work has been done in such a way that Council can now give it more-or-less honorable discharge.

Fraternally and respectfully submitted,

Howard B. Moore, 33°

Chairman.

Walter H. Gibson, 33°

Wilbert G. Welby, 33°

George A. Wilson, 33°

Henry A. Vallieres, 33°

R. C. Berkinshaw, 33°

C. H. Cunningham, 33°.

**SOVEREIGN GRAND COMMANDER'S SPECIAL
COMMITTEE ON GENERAL FISCAL POLICIES**

RESOLUTION

Following presentation of and deliberation upon the Report of the Special Committee on General fiscal Policies appointed by Sovereign Grand Commander Berkinshaw in 1961, interim reports having been made in 1963 and 1964, it is resolved:

1. That Supreme Council continue its aim to balance its budget each year, giving cognizance, however, to the effect, for the time being, of a gift to the Scottish Rite Charitable Foundation of bonds to the face value of \$100,000 and its impact upon Council's earnings from investments.
2. That the policy of restricting the investment and re-investment of Supreme Council funds to securities authorized by the laws of Canada or of any Province of Canada for the investment of Trust Funds be re-affirmed.
3. That policy with respect to grants for benevolent purposes, outlined in Section 3 of the Report of this Committee be continued.
4. That the policy with respect to remuneration for services to be paid to any Sovereign Grand Inspector-General who may occupy any of the offices of Supreme Council be as outlined in Section 4 of the Report.
5. That the Sovereign Grand Commander, the Grand Treasurer-General and the Grand Secretary-General be requested to review salaries and pensions or other retiring allowances paid to members of the permanent staff annually, and that these Officers be and are hereby authorized to set salaries and allowances under these headings at figures that appear to them to be equitable.
6. That the scale of fees and dues provided in Article 45, Section (b) be continued unless and until it becomes necessary to make alteration in order to balance our budget.
7. That the selling prices of Supreme Council publications, rituals, certificates, etc. shall be no higher than will cover the over-all cost of them.

8. That (a) the practice of paying allowances for transportation and other expenses to Active and Past Active Members of Supreme Council only, without exception, be continued, and (b) that because of substantial increase in costs, the time that Active Members are required to spend at Sessions, and the fluctuation from year to year, the Sovereign Grand Commanders be requested to review these costs from year to year and to make such recommendations to Council as they deem appropriate.
9. Provided that the cost of special projects has been included in an annual detailed budget submitted to and approved by Supreme Council, any expenses pertinent thereto are legitimately chargeable to the General Fund, such special projects to include meetings of Honorary Inspectors-General.
10. That the official bulletin, or Supreme Councillor, be published annually, as soon after the Annual Session as may be found practicable.
11. That the principle of holding Annual Sessions of Active Members be continued as a firm policy of Supreme Council and that the holding of full Sessions, including Honorary Inspectors-General is advisable as being of definitive value in promoting the unity, strength and continuity of the activities of Scottish Rite Freemasonry in this jurisdiction, it being considered that the above factors outweigh any elements of cost which might be incurred or implied by the adoption of such a policy, some provision for which should be made in the manner set out in paragraph 12 hereof.
12. That if some financial assistance is desirable to assist the Host Valley in meeting the expenses involved in holding such Annual Sessions of Supreme Council, the Sovereign Grand Commander, after consultation with the Illustrious Deputy concerned, should issue his warrant for such an amount as might be required, having regard to the necessity of keeping the expenses within reasonable bounds and relieving the Host Valley of any undue financial burden.
13. That a registration charge of \$15.00 for each member attending an Annual Session, and \$10.00 for each guest accompanying him, be instituted, commencing with the

Annual Session in 1965; that guests from foreign jurisdictions, and candidates, be exempt from this charge; that the charge be paid at the time of registration; and that one half of the total amount received be paid to the Host Body.

14. That at the Annual Sessions of Supreme Council a detailed budget of estimated Revenue and Expenditures for the ensuing year shall be submitted by the Committee on Audit and Finance for consideration, revision, approval or otherwise, of Supreme Council, and no expenditures beyond the estimates on individual accounts contained in the said detailed budget shall be made, except on warrant issued by the Sovereign Grand Commander.

On motion of Ill.:Bro.:Howard B. Moore, 33°, seconded by Ill.:Bro.:Donald M. Fleming, 33°, this report was adopted and the Resolution passed. After he had expressed his thanks and appreciation to the Chairman and members of his Committee, the Sovereign Grand Commander discharged the Committee.

Ill.:Bro.:Howard B. Moore, 33°, on behalf of Ill.:Bro.:R. C. Berkinshaw, 33°, Chairman of the Committee, presented the following report of the Sovereign Grand Commander's Special Committee on the Advancement of the Rite, which on motion of Ill.:Bro.:Moore, seconded by Ill.:Bro.:Berkinshaw, was received.

**REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ADVANCEMENT
OF THE RITE**

**To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish
Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—**

Peers and Brethren:

When this Committee was appointed, it was charged with the responsibility of making some progress toward implementation of some of the implications of the report made at the 1964 Session by the Committee on Membership, under the Chairmanship of Ill.'.Bro.'.James McL. Marshall, 33°.

The report was, of necessity, very broad in its approach. This Committee took the view that it should try to deal with specifics and with that in mind, directed the following letter to our Illustrious Deputies:

May 20, 1965.

To Illustrious Deputies:

Re Committee on Advancement of the Rite

It is the desire of this Committee to take advantage of the study and time given to Membership (which is an important aspect of "advancement") by the Committee under the Chairmanship of Ill.'.Bro.'.Jas. McL. Marshall, 33°.

It is our concept of the duties of our Committee to dissect the question of membership and to reach into several areas of activities of Lodges of Perfection most particularly, because these bodies provide the source material for Chapters and Consistories.

A decline in membership in Craft Masonry in other Jurisdictions as well as our own provides Scottish Rite Masonry with a challenge which is pointed up by the fact that only 10.9% of Master Masons in Canada are currently members of our Lodges of Perfection.

The Report of the Committee on Membership suggests several fields which deserve further study, leading up to concrete action designed to remove any possible complacency and give new life to several activities. Of necessity, last year's report concerned Scottish Rite Masonry as a whole and it was pointed out that conditions are by no means similar in the various areas of our country.

We should like, now, to bring ourselves closer to the subject and deal with it on a Provincial basis. Where, then, go for information and guidance? And we come immediately to the Brethren who are intimately acquainted with each Lodge in their respective Provinces — the Illustrious Deputies. True, you have already contributed generously to the work of Ill. Bro. Marshall's Committee. But now we should like to come to grips with the needs and opportunities of each Province.

Will you, therefore, answer a number of questions we shall propound and, in addition, will you add any views you care to express. The best factors in a Report we shall ultimately make will probably come from the latter. In expressing yourself, please do not hesitate to make suggestions that might involve the expenditure of money by Supreme Council. It is realized that spending money does not necessarily produce wholesome results, but, on the other hand, to remain static comes very close to starting a retrograde movement, and if it is necessary to use some of our funds to put new life and vigour into our affairs it should be given every consideration.

As an example only, the penultimate paragraph on page 154 (1964) carries the suggestion of a "travelling ambassador". Nothing concrete has been done in that connection and it would appear that we are loath to take any action that breaks with tradition.

Will each of you deal with the question specifically.

Is it desirable?

What could such a man do?

What areas of our affairs would you expect him to cover?

Do you believe he would be well received?

What would be the effect in the various Lodges in your District?

If you look with favour upon this, when would you want him to come to you?

Would he, in your opinion, stimulate:

Attendance (not only at a meeting he might attend)

Membership

Greater interest in the degrees and the quality of work?

And add any comments you are to make.

The above is given simply as one of the questions to which we seek and feel we must find answers. It will do no good to receive a report and fail to follow it through.

Much has been said as to the inadequacy of premises, but we have yet to visit a Lodge which we actually found to be inadequate in capacity, except in most unusual circumstances. True, some premises could be considerably improved, but will you specify any instances in your district where premises are a serious factor, and if there are such cases, what is being done about it? If there are such situations, they are matters of local responsibility and they will not improve by talking about them.

Lodge activities: Are we content to portray the required degrees and to be satisfied with the quality (and particularly the effect upon the candidate) of our work?

Are our "banquet hours" carefully planned with attractive features such as interesting speakers, or are they "hit-and-miss" affairs, remarkable principally because of their monotony?

Are we doing little more than to carry out the traditional program or are we doing anything to help materially in assimilating new members and giving them a demonstration of the warm friendship we talk about? If we are, what is being done in your area?

Membership promotion is at the core of the question of "advancement". We are aware that attitudes on this subject are very different in the various Provinces and we feel that each Province should be left to pursue its own membership efforts. However, there is a general desire to increase membership and sometimes we feel that we have done little more than to "scratch the surface"; that we wait for good men to come to us while they, on their part, wait for us to provide an opening.

What are we doing about it? Do we mention membership in Lodge and in our summonses? Do we ask our members for the names of "likely" applicants? Do we provide our members with application forms or do we wait for them to come to us? Do we make use of the booklet "33 Questions" and if so, how? Do you have Membership Committees and if so, how do they operate? When new members are received, do we make them feel glad they joined, or, on the other hand, that we have extended a privilege to them?

With a view to improving "the work", suggestion of seminars has been made. To the best of our knowledge, not a single request has been made for a seminar. Why?

Scottish Rite Clubs: Do you have any now? Are any in prospect? Do we report the **removal of members** to homes outside our Provinces and try to see that contact is made with the Lodge in the new location?

Many more questions could be asked, but perhaps we have asked too many already.

In addition to replying to our questions, will you make any definite suggestions that in your opinion, if acted upon, would stimulate interest in Scottish Rite Masonry in your area and in giving your comments, will you range over as wide a field as may provide you with something worth while to say?

We should like to "go places and do things" not for the sake of commotion, but for the genuine advancement of the Rite and for the lively interest of our members.

Sincerely and fraternally yours,

(Sgnd.) R. C. BERKINSHAW,
Chairman.

The replies by the Deputies reflect deep interest, a keen desire to contribute to the advancement of the Rite, to the propagation of the fundamental principles of the Order and to criticize constructively those aspects of our work in which obvious improvement can and should be made.

Since the letter I have just read sets out certain questions and whether they are or are not strictly in the order of importance, I propose to follow the same order in this report.

First, then, a so-called "Ambassador". To begin with, the term Ambassador has connotations which deserve some consideration. To some, an Ambassador, technically, is a representative of one Sovereign Power to another, which would not be applicable in this connection. Then, the very word connotes an official position which could be considered as in conflict with the authority, responsibilities and duties of the Illustrious Deputies, which must not be. So perhaps a different term should be found—one that would denote a contact or liaison between the Orient and the Constituent Bodies, always subordinate to the Illustrious Deputy and in close co-operation with

him, for the Illustrious Deputy is really Supreme Council in his own Jurisdiction. We would want to make the relationship easily and clearly understood if we were to entertain further such a representative.

However, the reaction of the Illustrious Deputies runs from enthusiastic, through yes-and-no interest, to that of "questionable value". Additionally, little, if any, thought has evidently been given to the probable expense involved, which must, of necessity, be considerable. In this connection there has been no thought of any form of remuneration to such a person, but only actual out-of-pocket costs of transportation, hotels, incidentals, etc.

Therefore, until we canvass the other aspects of advancement, we put aside the thought of **any** ambassador, liaison, inter-relations man, or any other term that would reasonably describe his services.

Premises: It appears to be accepted without question that "premises" are a matter of local responsibility and where accommodation is inadequate, plans for improvement are prominently in mind. This is important in its impact upon members and their legitimate pride (or lack of it) in the Order and on the tendency of members to invite others to join the body.

Lodge (including Chapter and Consistory activities):

Observations in this area indicate that this is one place (if not the most important place) that offers one of the greatest opportunities for improvement. When one thinks of a "Lodge" he thinks of a place of warmth, close acquaintance and friendship—fraternizing in its best and closest sense. In small bodies these features are probably still in vogue but it would seem that our very prosperity, the great influx of new members during recent years and, in some cases, the very size of our Bodies have diluted the "wines of friendship" and, to a great extent, have turned our Constituent Bodies into "degree mills". In many instances our emphasis, **almost** to the exclusion of fraternity, has fallen upon degrees, degrees, degrees.

Our Deputies, themselves, have commented upon the lack of thoughtful planning of our social (which they should be) hours. The many and varied demands of life have inclined us too much to getting Lodge activities over, snatching a hasty refreshment and being off to some other employment. We em-

phasize friendship in our list of advantages of membership, but our new members must sometimes wonder when the friendship features will become evident. Several of our Deputies agree that this feature of our Scottish Rite life requires much more thought and planning.

Membership—another field in which, generally speaking, we take too much for granted and in which we are loosely organized. Reverting to the third paragraph of our letter, it must be plainly evident to all that since only 10.9% of Craft Masons have become members of the Rite, there is a rich untilled field open to us. The fact that membership in the Craft is declining should stimulate us into membership promotion with determination to offset the decline in Craft membership by a substantial increase in our own membership. We should approach this area with enthusiasm, well-defined plans and good tools. Surely we have the tools but in many places they are rusty.

Should we not start within each body to enlist the active help of members in interesting their Masonic friends—talking to them in Lodge—placing application forms and “33 Questions” in their hands—organizing active membership committees with committee members in each Craft Lodge—and holding meetings on the subject of membership? This is almost certain to produce results.

The Work: Our Ritual Committee has a long-range program designed to improve the content and quality of our work and no one but a member of this committee has any conception of the year-round work that is being done by it, with little understanding or recognition on the part of the members of Council. This Committee has suggested and is prepared to organize Seminars designed to disseminate its work with our degrees—and to provide counsel and example with a view to improving degree presentation. Little interest has so far been shown, but there is a very fertile field here. We face too much competition for men’s time to be indifferent or inefficient in our work. If any Constituent Body desires to benefit from a “refresher” by checking its work against that of others, there lies a golden opportunity.

Scottish Rite Clubs: True, there are places where Clubs do not appear necessary because of peculiar local circumstances, but where substantial numbers of Scottish Rite Masons reside

in localities somewhat removed from Lodge, Chapter or Consistory headquarters, Clubs can be of inestimable value in providing opportunities for social intercourse, fraternization, rehearsal of degrees and continuing contacts. Council has no thought of urging the organization of Clubs unless there is reasonable promise of useful purpose, but because of advantages provided by existing Clubs, serious recommendation is counselled.

Removals to another Jurisdiction: We believe that Secretaries and Registrars are endeavouring to notify Bodies into whose Jurisdiction members are moving, of the names and addresses of such members, but for prompt action and in the interest of consistency, suggest that it might be helpful if a form were provided by Supreme Council whereby Supreme Council office would be notified in a regular way. This would give Council a record of transfers and the Council office could, in turn, notify the local Body.

GENERAL COMMENT: Our main emphasis has, for good reason, been directed to those fields in which opportunity is greatest and this emphasis might be taken as too critical, negative or even discouraging. This Committee feels, on the contrary, that we can be and in some instances are, too complacent, and that we can fail to recognize dangerous trends and tendencies if they are not brought to our attention.

Some of the replies of the Illustrious Deputies indicate very clearly that failings are recognized and study is being given to ways and means of overcoming them.

This Committee would feel that it had "opened Pandora's box and thrown away the lid" if it were only to summarize our fields of opportunity without proposing constructive steps to stir static or reverse negative trends. Consequently, we propose that the question of some form of liaison between the Orient and the field, whether possible by our Staff and/or Member or Members of Council, or, by development of definite plans in each area of our problem, be made the further responsibility of this Committee for report later. The suggestion has too much merit to justify putting it aside, even for the present, without ensuring that it will have positive treatment in the immediate future. Further, we propose that all of the replies to our letter be given detailed study and a constructive communication that might be designated a "Purple Paper" (having

in mind the "white paper" practice of Governments — and Council's colour) be sent to all Officers of all Constituent Bodies. The purpose of this communication would be treatment in depth of the various aspects of Lodge, Chapter and Consistory affairs, with outlines of "what others are doing" and the stimulation of all activities that would contribute to the promotion of the true and finest principles and objects of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite.

In conclusion, this Committee feels that the appointment of the Committee on Membership, under the Chairmanship of Ill. Bro. James McL. Marshall, 33° and of this Committee have elicited constructively critical approaches to vital areas of our affairs and we recommend continuing treatment of the subject.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,

R. C. BERKINSHAW, 33°,
Chairman.

INSTALLATION

At the request of the Sovereign Grand Commander, Ill. Bro. R. Coulton Berkinshaw, 33°, then proceeded with the Installation of those Officers elected earlier during this Session. The Officers were duly installed for the remaining period of the triennial term and proclaimed by the Grand Marshal.

VOTE OF THANKS

Ill. Bro. C. H. Cunningham, 33°, P. Lieut. Grand Commander, then presented the following Vote of Thanks, which was seconded by Ill. Bro. R. M. Stanton, 33°, and enthusiastically accepted with hearty applause of the Brethren.

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Those of us who were fortunate enough to remember former Supreme Council Sessions in Montreal looked forward with deep anticipation to our 1965 Meeting. We had keen recollections of the careful preparations, warm reception and outstanding attention to the details that made our stay with our Quebec Brethren so memorable.

Our 1965 Session, the 91st of this Supreme Council, has come to its final moments. Another page to add to our Book of Happy Memories. Words as usually inadequate to express the deep feelings of appreciation that well up at a time like this. However, I feel sure we are all agreed that our sincerest thanks go out to all those who contributed so magnificently to the successful arrangements which have added to our comfort, our entertainment and our well-being.

M.:P.:Sovereign Grand Commander I have the honour and pleasure to move, on behalf of our Members and their ladies, that a hearty vote of thanks be tendered to Ill.:Bros.:Witter, Brown and Barrie and the members of their Committees, who so ably planned and carried out the arrangements just referred to. Also I would like to include the Rector and Wardens of St. George's Church for their kind co-operation for the Vesper Service. And finally, I feel we should mention the Managers and Staff of the Queen Elizabeth Hotel. They have looked after us so well.

That Most Puissant Sir, is my motion. I trust it touches a responsive chord in the hearts of all the Members.

C. H. CUNNINGHAM, 33°
Lieut.:Grand Commander.

Ill.:Bro.:D. L. Witter, 33°, replied, acknowledging the expression of thanks on behalf of all members of his Committee and extending his thanks to all who had assisted in any way, mentioning particularly the assistance he had received from the Assistant Grand Secretary-General, Ill.:Bro.:R. H. Rutherford, 33°.

Ill.:Bro.:Charles A. Sankey, 33°, addressed the Brethren, expressing the thanks of the Niagara Valley for the assistance promised for the holding of our next Session in Niagara Falls and extending a warm welcome to all members to attend at that time.

Ill. Bro. Luther A. Smith, 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Southern Jurisdiction, U.S.A., obtaining permission to address the Brethren, expressed his profit and pleasure resulting from his visit to our Session, complimenting the Sovereign Grand Commander and Supreme Council for the thorough handling of its affairs. He expressed his great satisfaction with our Council's proposed future program for the benefit of all humanity and extended thanks of himself and Mrs. Smith for the hospitality shown them. Ill. Bro. Smith concluded his remarks with an invitation to all the members to visit the Southern Jurisdiction and particularly the House of the Temple.

Ill. Bro. George E. Bushnell, 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, U.S.A., also spoke, regretting the absence of Mrs. Bushnell, but extending his thanks for all the courtesies shown to him during his visit. Ill. Bro. Bushnell felt he was speaking on behalf of all the guests, when he referred to the inspiration they had received from this visit. He also invited our members to visit with him at the Annual Session of his Supreme Council in Cleveland, and also the following year in Boston, and intimated a Boston visit would be the last opportunity to attend a Session of his Council under his guidance.

Ill. Bro. Nelson C. Bledsoe, 33°, of the Southern Jurisdiction, U.S.A., then spoke, bringing greetings from the Valley of Arizona. He expressed his great pleasure in attending our Session and in particular, his admiration for his old friend of many years, our Sovereign Grand Commander, Ill. Bro. G. C. Derby, 33°, indicating that a trip of 3000 miles was not too great to greet his old friend.

The business of the Session having been concluded, Supreme Council was closed in due form, followed by the Chain of Union, and the Blessing from the Sovereign Grand Commander, Ill. Bro. George C. Derby, 33°, at 3:00 p.m.

MONTREAL VALLEY BANQUET

The Montreal Valley climaxed all its efforts on our behalf in a Banquet, Wednesday evening. Ill. Bro. Donald L. Witter, 33°, as Chairman, conducted an excellent programme, enjoyed by all.

PROGRAMME

Chairman—Ill.:Bro.:Donald L. Witters, 33°
Deputy for Quebec.

The Blessing—Ill.:Bro.:William L. Wright, 33°
Grand Prior.

Her Majesty The Queen

The President of the United States of America

Our Ladies—Ill.:Bro.:R. C. McMillan, 32°, T.:P.:G.:M.:.

Response by Mrs. G. C. Derby

Our Guests—Ill.:Bro.:B. S. Hastings, 32°, M.:W.:S.:.

Responses by Ill.:Bro.:Luther A. Smith, 33°
S.G.C. Southern Jurisdiction, U.S.A.
Ill.:Bro.:George E. Bushnell, 33°, S.G.C.
Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, U.S.A.

The Supreme Council—Ill.:Bro.:H. C. Sturgess, 32°, C-in-C
Response by the Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Com-
mander, Ill.:Bro.:G. C. Derby.

God Save The Queen

The head table procession was led in true Scottish tradition by Pipe Major Iain G. Millington. During the dinner Ronnie Mathews presided at the Organ.

Ill.:Bro.:G. T. Archibald, 32°, as Master of Ceremonies, introduced The Montreal Bach Choir Society under the leadership of George Little. Their programme consisting of selections with true Quebec flavor was most enjoyable.

This concluded our 91st Annual Session of our Supreme Council.




Sovereign Grand Commander.




Grand Secretary-General, H.:E.:.

Obituary
Records



*“When Death draws down the curtain
of the night*

*And those we love in his deep
darkness hides,*

*We can but wait the coming of
the light*

*And bless the memory that
still abides.”*

Hugh Macdonald Dunlop, 33°

Thomas Kingsmill Wade, 33°

Clarence MacLeod Pitts, 33°

Sovereign Grand Inspectors-General, 33°

George Oliver Cameron, 33°

Willard Bruce Riddell, 33°

Frederick Harold Blythe, 33°

Thomas Henry Williams, 33°

Clifford Flohr Tubien, 33°

George Bliss Beaumont, 33°

Charles Walter Murray, 33°

Charles Howland Crandon, 33°

Charles MacKenzie Wallace, 33°

Albert Philippe Louis Goering, 33°

William Scott, 33°

Robert Swinton, 33°

Kenneth William MacDonald, 33°

George Edward Morrison Hunter, 33°

Oliver Martin Prentice, 33°

Walter Elwood Cumming, 33°

James Hanna Ness, 33°

Archibald Henry MacQuarrie, 33°

Honorary Inspectors-General, 33°

of the

Supreme Council of Canada



ILL. BRO. HUGH MACDONALD DUNLOP, 33°

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A career of devoted service came to an end on January 15th, 1965, when our Ill. Bro. Hugh Macdonald Dunlop, 33°, was suddenly called to his reward. His long life had been intimately connected with affairs in Hamilton, Ontario, and his effective participation in many phases of municipal, business, military, charitable and Masonic affairs has left its mark in no uncertain terms.

Born in Hamilton of Scottish parentage, August 14th, 1880, he received his education there, commencing in the old time Central Public School; an association that he maintained all through his life. He was an interested member of the "Central Old Boys' Association" and participated in its activities and annual picnic each year.

At the age of sixteen (1896) he became an employee of his father's Flour and Feed business and continued therein until the outbreak of the First World War in 1914. The business was incorporated as James Dunlop Co. Ltd., in 1904, when Bro. Dunlop was made Vice-President and Treasurer. In 1919, upon his return from Overseas he rejoined the firm, remaining till 1925, when he purchased the fuel business of Gillies-Guy Ltd. and carried on its affairs most successfully as President and Managing Director until 1946, when the Company was sold and Bro. Dunlop retired in 1949 after his guidance had carried the Company to a position of leadership as one of the largest retail firms of its kind in Ontario.

Mention has been made of his service in the First World War. His military affiliation began when he joined the 4th Field Battery in 1898 and served till 1904, when he retired with the rank of Colour-Sergeant. In 1912 he joined Colonel George S. Rennie in the organization of the 13th Field Artillery Brigade at Hamilton as Lieutenant. When War broke out in 1914 he proceeded Overseas in August with the 1st Division and served throughout the Campaign in the 1st Division Army Column, 4th Battery and Division Headquarters. While on the Staff he occupied temporary positions as D.A.A.G. and D.A.Q.M.G. of the 1st Division. He was awarded the Military Cross, having been gazetted on the first list of honors recommended by Field Marshal Sir John French in 1915, which award he received from King George V at Buckingham Palace.

After the Armistice he was returned to Canada (February, 1919) on special duty, remaining at Ottawa Headquarters until the following September, when his request to be mustered out was granted with permission to retain the permanent rank of Major.

However, his flair for military activities brought him back to uniform when in 1921-24 he assisted in the re-organization of Artillery

in Hamilton. He was Commanding Officer of the 11th Battery for two years, retiring with the Long Service Decoration.

His interest in municipal affairs was early evidenced. Elected to the Board of Education in 1913, he was re-elected during his absence overseas and served as Chairrran in 1922.

Active in The Chamber of Commerce he was elected and re-elected Director and was President during the 1936-37 term.

Socially, Bro. Dunlop enjoyed membership in various clubs and took an active part in their activies He was President of the Thistle Curling Club 1943-44; Life Member of the Scottish Rite Club of Hamilton; member of the Hamilton Club; Hamilton Golf & Country Club; Buffalo Athletic Club; Canadian Club; Honorary Life Member of Hamilton Thistle Club since 1960.

He was a member of Central Presbyterian Church.

Another phase of his interest in mankind's welfare brought him into a long time connection with the Red Cross. He was Chairman of Veterans for Red Cross for 22 years and appointed Honorary Vice-President of the Ontario Red Cross in 1940.

Ill. Bro. Dunlop had a deep interest in Masonry and gave the Order unstinting service for more than half a century. Initiated in The Barton Lodge No. 6, in 1909, he served as an officer for some years, but his military duties proved so demanding that he was unable to proceed to the Chair.

He received the Scottish Rite degrees in Murton Lodge of Perfection in 1913 and the Rose Croix series in January, 1914. The Great War prevented further advancement until November, 1920, when he received the 32° in Moore Sovereign Consistory. He enjoyed taking part in the degrees and made a great contribution as a ritualist. Appointed a Junior Officer of the Consistory in 1931, he served with distinction and in 1940 he was elected Commander-in-Chief for the triennial term 1940-43.

Supreme Council recognized his worth by conferring the 33rd Degree upon him at Halifax, Nova Scotia, in October, 1938, and in 1944 he was Crowned an Active Member at Windsor, Ontario. Elected in 1952 as Grand Marshal, he held this office till his death. As a member and later Chairman of the Committee on Audit and Finance, since 1950, he gave sound and dedicated service for the last fourteen years.

He was a member of the Royal Order of Scotland and was Provincial Grand Master for Ontario; the Grand Lodge in Scotland having issued its patent for that office in July, 1964.

Ill. Bro. Dunlop enjoyed a most congenial and happy married life. He and Mrs. Dunlop, the former Elsie Pierce, were charming hosts and their multitude of friends were always graciously welcome to their fireside. In addition to his wife, Bro. Dunlop is survived by a daughter, Mrs. J. L. Harrison, of Ottawa; a sister, Mrs. George S. Brown of Hamilton; a brother Frank of Burlington and a grandson. Our sincerest sympathy goes out to them all.

Funeral services were held in Central Presbyterian Church on Monday, January 18th, by The Rev. Dr. A. Lorne MacKay, 32°, assisted by The Right Rev. W. E. Bagnall, 32°, Bishop of Niagara. Interment was in Hamilton Cemetery.

Many representatives of the business and professional life of Hamilton attended, as well as a large number of Active and Honorary Members of Supreme Council.

We have lost a friend and brother whom it was our good fortune to know and respect, — a gentleman of the old school, a staunch man of integrity and devotion, one whose life was a shining example to those whose lives he touched. Pax Vobiscum!

C. H. C.



ILL. BRO. THOMAS KINGSMILL WADE, 33°

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Surprise and profound shock attended the death of Ill. . Bro. . Thomas Kingsmill Wade, O.B.E., 33°, at his home on January 20th, 1965.

Thomas K. Wade was born in Toronto, Ontario, on April 3rd, 1883.

He entered business as an office boy and rose to the Presidency and General Management of his company, which had world-wide interests. He was Tea Controller for Canada during World War II, and was made a member of the Order of the British Empire.

He retired from business in 1948.

Tom served in the C.E.F. as Lieutenant in the Canadian Army Service Corps, rising to Captain, and was mentioned in despatches for gallantry.

He was a devout Anglican, a life-long member of St. Paul's Church on Bloor Street East, Toronto, regular in attendance, and a representative of his congregation to the Synod.

An arden yachtsman, he sailed under canvas only, scorning the help of power of any kind, and was the proud owner of the "Patricia", a noble 50 foot gaff-rigged sloop, well known on the Great Lakes.

Tom was a Past Commodore of the Royal Canadian Yacht Club, an honorary life member of the Club, and was founder of the R.C.Y.C. junior club. He was active in and an officer of several yacht racing associations.

In Masonry he was active, devoted and influential, and was known and esteemed in Masonic organizations throughout the world.

Initiated in Ashlar Lodge, 1909. A Past Master.

Past Grand Senior Warden of the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Past Thrice Puissant Grand Master of the Toronto Lodge of Perfection.

Past officer of the Toronto Sovereign Chapter of Rose Croix.

Member of Moore Sovereign Consistory.

Honorary Inspector-General of Supreme Council, 1932.

Sovereign Grand Inspector-General, 1941.

Illustrious Deputy for Ontario, 1949.

Elected Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander, at Vancouver, 1955. Served 1955-58.

Acting Illustrious Grand Treasurer-General during the illness of the late Illustrious Brother John R. Rumball, 1961-63.

Elected Illustrious Grand Treasurer-General, 1963.

Received in the Royal Order of Scotland, 1935.

No words would be extravagant in recounting the career of this distinguished Christian gentleman, respected business man, internationally known yachtsman and Masonic statesman.

He did not marry; he dedicated his life and talents to character-building, nurturing the flowers of friendship, enjoying sailing with men who loved him, and the practice of the Masonic art far beyond the halls of Lodge.

Funeral Services were held in St. Paul's Anglican Church, Toronto, Canon Dann conducting the Service. Interment was in the family plot, Port Hope Cemetery.

A large number of Active and Honorary Members of Supreme Council as well as a host of friends from all walks of life attended.

The presence and influence of Thomas Kingsmill Wade will long be remembered and grievously missed. The world is better and Masonry has a greater impact upon our life and times because he lived among us.

Tom lived the good life to the full and in lusty stride to the day of his death.

H.B.M.

"Sometime at eve, when the tide is low,
I shall slip my mooring and sail away,
With no response to the friendly hail
Of kindred craft in the busy bay,
In the silent hush of the twilight pale
when the night stoops down to embrace the day,
And the voices call in the waters flow —
Sometime at eve, when the tide is low,
I shall slip my mooring and sail away.

Through the purpling shadows that darkly trail,
O'er the ebbing tide of the Unknown Sea,
I shall fare me away, with a dip of sail
And a ripple of waters to tell the tale
Of a lonely voyager, sailing away
To the Mystic Isles, where at anchor lay
The craft of those who sailed before
O'er the Unknown Sea to the Unseen Shore."

A few who have watched me sail away,
Will miss my craft from the busy bay;
Some friendly barks that were anchored near,
Some loving souls that my heart held dear,
In silent sorrow will shed a tear —
But I shall have peacefully furled my sail
In mooring sheltered from storm or gale,
And greeted the friends who have sailed before
O'er the Unknown Sea to the Unseen Shore."



ILL. BRO. CLARENCE MacLEOD PITTS, 33°

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On March 16th, 1965, Illustrious Brother Clarence MacLeod Pitts, while attending a meeting of the Advisory Council of the Presbyterian Church of Canada at Toronto, suffered a coronary attack and was immediately confined to Toronto General Hospital. He appeared to be making slow but steady progress toward recovery, when, without warning, he suffered a fatal stroke on Wednesday, April 7th, and passed away Saturday, April 10th, at 8.30 p.m. without regaining consciousness.

Endowed with an outstanding personality, a keen mind and an unswerving integrity of character, Clarie Pitts made for himself a high place in the realms of business, fraternalism and the church. His boundless energy and executive ability were lavished without stint in the service of whatever would conduce to the betterment of the world in which we live. He lived a full and vital three score years and ten, leaving to us the memory of a wonderful Christian Gentleman and a Prince in Masonry.

Born at Fredericton, New Brunswick, May 5th, 1894, the second son of Herman H. Pitts and Alexandrina MacLeod, he received his early education at the Fredericton Model School. The family moving to Ottawa in 1903, his education continued in the Ottawa Public Schools, Lisgar Collegiate Institute and then McGill University Montreal, from which he graduated in 1914 with the degree of Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering. He practised engineering in construction works at Montreal, Halifax and Hawkesbury. During the first World War he served with the 10th, Siege Battery C.E.F. Halifax, as Lieutenant. At the close of the war, he joined his father and brother in the operation of several companies in Ottawa, The Pitts Construction Co., Ltd., The Canadian-American Exporters Ltd., and The People's Gas Supply Company Ltd., eventually becoming President and General Manager of each. He was most successful in business, not only in a material way but in his relations with employees, business associates and competitors.

His interest in the young people of our society induced him to take a leading part in the Boy Scout Organization. He was Executive Member of the Ottawa District Council, Boy Scouts Association; Vice-President of the Ontario Provincial Council and Executive Member of the Canadian General Council.

His work in and for the Presbyterian Church was one of supreme dedication. He was ordained and inducted as an Elder on the Kirk Session of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Ottawa, on May 9th, 1926, and for 23 years served as Superintendent of his Church's Sunday

School. In the Presbyterian General Assembly he was highly respected as one of the most dedicated laymen of the Church, and his leadership, especially as the longtime Chairman of the Pension Board, was highly appreciated throughout the length and breadth of this land. The Church-at-Large and, in particular, retired Ministers, Ministers' widows and orphans, as well as a great host of others who were the recipients of his beneficence, owe him a debt of gratitude which they could never repay.

In our great Fraternity, Clarie Pitts found something that appealed to him and where he found great joy. His many years of devotion to Masonry in all its branches earned for him the affection of an innumerable company of friends in the Craft the world over, as well as an appreciation by them of his leadership qualities. His contribution to our Order was outstanding. So much so that his brethren conferred on him many honors and high Offices, all deserved and worthily filled. As Grand First Principal of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Ontario, then Sovereign Grand Commander of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada, and finally Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario, his leadership was superb and his wise counsel was eagerly sought.

Any one of these Grand Offices would tax the strength of the average individual, but Clarie possessed the ability to carry each one with dignity and thoroughness establishing a record seldom, if ever, equalled.

One of his greater accomplishments was in 1954, during his term as Sovereign Grand Commander. Recognizing the need for better understanding and closer fraternal relations between the English Speaking Supreme Councils of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite, he organized, and was elected Chairman of the first meeting of what was to be known as "The English Speaking Supreme Councils of the British Isles and North America in Amity". This meeting was convened at the Seignior Club and representatives came from the Southern and Northern Masonic Jurisdictions of the United States of America and from England, Ireland and Scotland. So much good was accomplished that it was agreed that further meetings should be held. In June of last year another such meeting was held at London, England, and, of course, Clarie was one of the delegates from Canada.

After serving as the chief head of each of the three branches of Masonry he continued to be a tower of strength to each and travelled extensively throughout Canada and the United States of America as a representative of one or the other.

His Masonic record is as follows:—

Initiated November 22nd, 1917, Hawkesbury Lodge No. 450 G.R.C. in Ontario.

Affiliated, November 2nd, 1920, Dalhousie Lodge No. 52, G.R.C. in Ontario.

Worshipful Master, Dalhousie Lodge, A.F. & A.M. No. 52—1928-29 and 1939-40.

D.D.G.M., Ottawa District, 1940-41.

Most Wise Sovereign, Murray Chapter Rose Croix, 1933.

First Principal, Ottawa Chapter No. 222, R.A.M., 1943.

Preceptor—Ottawa Preceptory No. 32, 1946.

P.G.D. of C. Sovereign Great Priory of Canada K.T. and member of Grand Council.

Grand "Z" — Grand Chapter R.A.M. of Canada in Ontario, 1949-50.

Grand Representative of the Grand Lodge of Nebraska near the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Grand Representative of Grand Chapter of Nova Scotia near the Grand Chapter of R.A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Member, Board of General Purposes, G.R.C. in Ontario, 1943-55.

Member, Royal Order of Scotland, Province of Ontario, April 15,, 1942.

Grand High Prelate, Grand Imperial Conclave of Canada, Red Cross of Constantine, G.C.C. Honorary Past Grand Sovereign 1961.

Member, Ottawa Council No. 16 (U.D.) Royal and Select Masters.

Received 32° Scottish Rite, May, 1922, in Moore Sovereign Consistory, Hamilton.

Coroneted 33° Honorary Inspector-General, October 1st, 1940.

Crowned Active Member, October 7th, 1942.

Elected Sovereign Grand Commander, October 15th, 1952 to 1955.

Past President, Canadian Masonic Research Association.

Past President, Conference of Canadian Grand Chapters, R.A.M.

Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario, 1959-1961.

Emeritus Member of Honor of the Supreme Councils of the Southern Jurisdiction and of the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, U.S.A., 1953.

Honorary Member of the Supreme Councils of England & Wales, Etc.; Scotland; Ireland; the Philippines and France.

Honorary Member, subordinate Bodies of Calgary; Halifax; Lethbridge; Moncton and Vancouver.

Grand Lodge of Nova Scotia:

Hon. Past Grand Master 1962 with Erasmus James Philipps Bronze Medallion.

Grand Chapter of R. A. Masons of Nova Scotia:

Hon. Past Grand High Priest 1958 with Joseph Conway Brown Bronze Medallion.

He was a Life Member of the Engineering Institute of Canada, Chairman of the Ottawa Branch in 1933 and Past Councillor in the years 1934 and 1935.

A Member of the Association of Professional Engineers, Province of Ontario;

Chairman, Canadian Section, Compressed Gas Manufacturers Association, 1942-45:

President, Compressed Gas Manufacturers Association Inc., New York, 1946;

President, International Acetylene Association Inc., New York, 1956;

Member, National Fire Protection Association;

Committee Member, Canadian Standards Association;

Member, The Chemists Club, New York; The Seignior Club, Quebec; Royal Ottawa Golf Club, Hull, Quebec; Scottish Rite Club, Hamilton, Ontario, and Hon. Member, Huddersfield Fish and Game Club.

In 1933, Brother Pitts married Elsie Georgina King of Ottawa, who predeceased him on June 29th, 1958.

Along with great thanksgiving to God for the life of such a man, goes our deep and sincere sympathy to his sisters-in-law, Mrs. Gordon M. Pitts, Mrs. Mansell R. Dickinson, Mrs. Randolph Hartin; his nieces, Mrs. Ian McPherson, Mrs. E. H. Kington; and his nephews, Mr. William K. Dickinson, and Mr. John Hartin.

His remains were conveyed to St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Ottawa, on Wednesday afternoon, April 14th. At 3.00 p.m., The Rev. Arthur W. Currie, assisted by The Rev. Dr. Hugh A. MacMillan, Moderator of the General Assembly, and The Rev. Dr. J. Logan-Vencta conducted the service, paying a sincere and eloquent tribute to our departed brother. The Church was filled with a host of friends from all walks of life including representatives from each organization in which he had been a member.

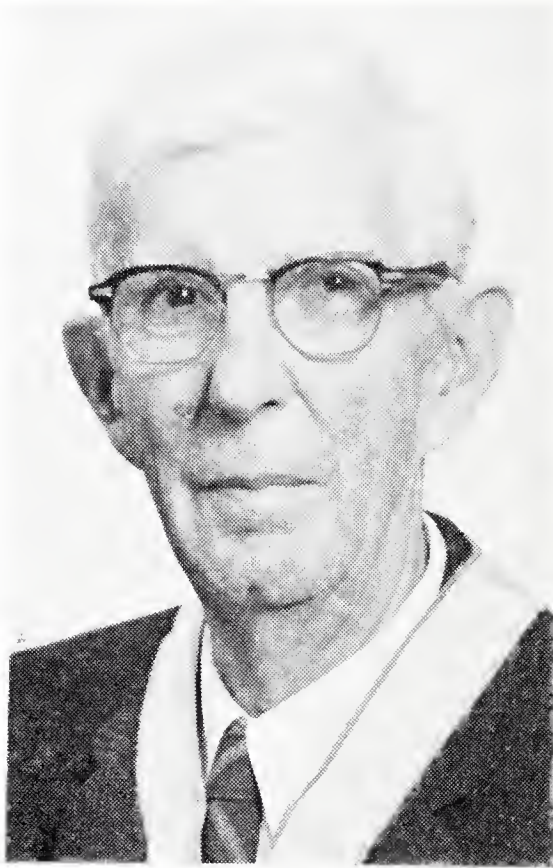
The Honorary Pallbearers represented the various branches of Masonry, the Church, and business associations. The Supreme Council was represented by a large number of Active and Honorary Members of Supreme Council, included among whom were, Ill. Bro. George C.

Derby, 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander; Ill. Bro. J. A. Irvine, 33°, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario; and the following representatives of the Supreme Council 33°, of the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, U.S.A., Ill. Bro. G. A. Newbury, 33°, Grand Lieut. Commander, Buffalo; and Ill. Bros. Malcolm D. MacQueen, 33°, and Sidney R. Baxter, 33°, Detroit.

Interment was in Beechwood Cemetery where a large group of relatives, friends and distinguished Masons gathered to pay their last respects.

“He was a friend whose heart was good,
Who walked with men and understood;
His was a voice that spoke to cheer,
And fell like music on the ear.
His was a smile men loved to see;
His was a hand that asked no fee
For friendliness or kindness done.
And now that he has journeyed on,
His is a fame that never ends:
He leaves behind uncounted friends.”

R. M. S.



ILL. BRO. GEORGE O. CAMERON, 33°



ILL. BRO. WILLARD B. RIDDELL, 33°



ILL. BRO. FREDERICK H. BLYTHE, 33°



ILL. BRO. THOMAS H. WILLIAMS, 33°

ILL. BRO. GEORGE OLIVER CAMERON, 33°

George Oliver Cameron was born, of Scottish parentage, in Vespra Township in the County of Simcoe, in the Province of Ontario, on October 18th, 1885, and lived almost all of his life in or near Barrie, where he obtained his education in the Barrie Public School and Business College.

His business career commenced in the offices of the Grand Trunk Railway in Allandale, Ont., in 1902. In 1904 he joined the Excelsior Life Insurance Company in Toronto and in 1905, the Northern Navigation Co., in Sarnia. In 1907 he returned to Barrie to the Office of Mickle-Dyment Lumber Company and in 1927, entered as a partner into the retail Coal business. In 1938 he was appointed Registrar of Deeds for the County of Simcoe and remained in that position until his retirement in the fall of 1956.

In 1913 he married Sadie Edith Ellis, who survives him, and to whom the sympathy of the Brethren is extended. Their entire married life was spent in Barrie. They were not blessed with any children.

Brother Cameron's interests were many and varied. He was an active member of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church and served on and was Chairman of the Board of Managers. He was a charter member of the Barrie Kiwanis Club, Chairman of several of its Committees and in 1932, he was President. He was Secretary of the Barrie Agricultural Society for 12 years.

He took part in sports of all kinds and during his later years, he was an ardent golfer and fisherman. He was Skip of the first Grand Champion Rink at the Toronto Bonspiel and, in 1925, was a member of the only Barrie Rink to win the Ontario Tankard.

Brother Cameron was initiated into Kerr Lodge, No. 230 G.R.C., A.F. & A.M., Barrie, on January 21, 1910, received his Third Degree on October 21, 1910. He received the Fourteenth Degree in Barrie Lodge of Perfection, on June 26, 1918, the Eighteenth Degree in Spry Chapter, Rose Croix, on November 28, 1918, his Thirty-Second Degree in Moore Sovereign Consistory, on May 12th, 1944. He was Coroneted an Honorary Inspector-General, 33°, at Winnipeg, Man., on September 11, 1951.

In 1944-45, Bro. Cameron served as Most Wise Sovereign of Spry Chapter and in 1946, as T.P.G.M. of Barrie Lodge of Perfection. Except for the two years during which he was M.W.S., he was Registrar of Spry Chapter from 1919 until 1963.

On December 11, 1963, Bro. Cameron's long years of service were recognized by his Scottish Rite Brethren at a Dinner given in his honour. He was presented with a large framed photograph of himself,

which he later returned to be hung in the Masonic Temple. He was also presented with what was described as an "Album of Esteem", containing photographs of all those who had been associated with him in the most outstanding events of his fifty-three years in Masonry.

Brother Cameron passed away suddenly at the Royal Victoria Hospital in Barrie, on November 19, 1964. Burial services were conducted at the Jennett Funeral Home, Barrie, by his own Minister, Sov. Pr. Rev. W. Ross Adams, 18°, with interment at Barrie Union Cemetery. A large number of Masonic Brethren and friends were in attendance to pay their last respects.

C. J. A.

C. L. C.

ILL. BRO. WILLARD BRUCE RIDDELL, 33°

Member of an old, highly respected family, passed away at his home, 12 Auchmar Road, Hamilton, Ontario, on Sunday, December 6th, 1964.

Born in Hamilton January 12th, 1895, he was educated in local schools and associated himself with all aspects of the building industry, including architecture, engineering and construction. He attended the Massachusetts Institute of Technology for four years — 1914 to 1917.

At this time he enlisted in the Royal Canadian Engineers and went overseas as a lieutenant.

Upon his return, he took a post-graduate course at M.I.T. — 1919 and 1920, and won the Rotch Prize in architecture. He was a member of the council of the Ontario Association of Architects and a member of the Architects' Registration Board. He had membership in the Royal Architectural Institute of Canada and was an associate of the Royal Institute of British Architects. We quote from the Memoriam of the architects:—

"Bruce leaves not only a memory of warmth and friendship, but a challenge to our professional responsibilities. In his memory let us, as individuals, attempt to replace some small segment of that which has been taken away."

Ill. Bro. Riddell leaves his wife, the former Florence N. White, one son, William J., Don Mills, Ont.; two daughters, Mrs. Edward Clark (Betty), and Marion, at home, both of Hamilton; one brother, J. Ewen Riddell, Hamilton, and two grandchildren.

Willard Bruce Riddell was a faithful member of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church and served on the Board of Managers.

He was a director of Towers Limited, (Scottish Rite) giving valuable service on the Property Committee.

The deep interest of our Illustrious Brother, besides his Church, was Freemasonry—the love of his fellowmen through that Brotherhood which he not only advocated, but practised during all his lifetime. He possessed and emphasized those rare qualities of freedom, honesty and friendship, together with a keen sense of humour, which endeared him to all who had the good fortune to know him.

His Masonic career embraced the following:—

Member of St. John's Lodge No. 40, Hamilton,
September 25th, 1917
Murton Lodge of Perfection, 14°
January 22nd, 1918
Hamilton Sovereign Chapter of Rose Croix, 18°
January 23rd, 1918
Moore Sovereign Consistory, 32°
November 26th, 1920
Coroneted Honorary Inspector-General, 33°
October 5th, 1948, at London, Ontario
Commander-in-Chief of Moore Sovereign Consistory,
1954-1955
Past First Principal, Hamilton Chapter No. 175, R.A.M.
Member of the Royal Order of Scotland
Member of the Scottish Rite Club of Hamilton.

Ill. Bro. Riddell, 33°, took part in and directed several degrees in the Consistory. For his work in the 31st and 32nd degrees in particular, he will be remembered and spoken of as long as this generation lives.

Funeral services were conducted at the Blachford and Wray Chapel, on Tuesday, December 8th, 1964, at 3.30 p.m., by the Rev. Stanley W. Vance, who spoke of the worth and example of our departed Brother. Interment was in Woodland Cemetery.

The many friends and members of the several bodies represented express to his wife and family their sincere sympathy.

H.B.J.

ILL. BRO. FREDERICK HAROLD BLYTHE, 33°

It is with the greatest of difficulty if not impossible, as the older we grow, to close the gap caused by the death of a true friend. Illustrious Brother Frederick Harold Blythe, 33°, Honorary Inspector-General, died suddenly without apparent warning at his home during the early hours of January 2nd, 1965, at the age of seventy-five years. A Masonic Memorial Service in memory of our late Brother was held in

The A. B. Gardiner Funeral Chapel on the evening of January 5th. The service was taken by M.W. Bro. Henry B. Donnelly, Past Grand Master of The Grand Lodge of Manitoba. The chapel was filled to capacity by those members of the Craft wishing to pay their last respects to a beloved brother. The funeral was held on January 6th from the funeral home under the direction of Ill. Bro. Dr. George F. Dyker, 32°. Interment took place in Brookside Cemetery.

It is presently most difficult to realize how deeply his fine character, warm personality and sparkling individuality was etched and had become a part of those who knew and respected him. Beloved by Freemasons throughout Manitoba, Minnesota and North Dakota, by many in the business world but above all by his wife, Alda and three daughters who survive him, he was truly one of that elite group described by Shakespeare:—

“And the elements were so mixed in him,
That nature might stand up to all the world
And say, Here was a man.”

He was a man of principle, unpretentious and always moved quietly and modestly in the sphere of his influence. Possessing high ideals he deplored with regret those who by their disappointing actions were found to have “feet of clay”. He was able to inspire confidence among those of more tender years to a higher concept and meaning of life. Relatively late in his lifetime he became associated with Freemasonry. It was to become a beacon of light in his life and in his association with others. Truly it may be said that until his death that light burned fiercely with a pure white flame.

Born at Morden, Manitoba, as a young man he became associated with Fairbanks-Morse, Ltd., and served with that Company in Winnipeg and Calgary. In 1923 he formed a partnership with the late Roland Muzeen in forming a company under the name of Muzeen and Blythe, Machinists. At the time of his death he was associated with Jacob Dyck in operating the Company.

Briefly his Masonic biography is set out hereunder:—

- 1929 Entered King Edward Lodge No. 92, G.R.M.
- 1940 Joined Winnipeg Lodge of Perfection, 14°.
- 1941 Joined Bethesda Chapter Rose Croix, 18°.
- 1942 Served as Worshipful Master, King Edward Lodge.
- 1943 Joined Manitoba Consistory, 32°.
- 1946 Senior Grand Deacon, Grand Lodge of Manitoba.
- 1949 Elected Grand Director of Ceremonies, G.L. of Manitoba.
- 1950 Elected Deputy Grand Master, G.L. of Manitoba.

- 1951 Elected Grand Master, G.L. of Manitoba.
- 1957 Coroneted Hon. Insp.-Gen. 33°, at Halifax N.S.
- 1958 Received into Royal Order of Scotland of the Province Grand Lodge of Saskatchewan and Manitoba.
- Member of Khartum Temple, A.A.O.N.M.S.
- Hon. Charter Member, Menorah Lodge No. 167, G.R.M.
- Hon. Member Flin Flon Lodge, No. 153, G.R.M.
- Hon. Member, Friendship Lodge, No. 165, G.R.M.

He will be sadly missed by those who valued his wise counsel in The Grand Lodge of Manitoba. Elected first to The Board of General Purposes in 1943 he served continuously on the Board until his death. On the many committees of the Board he served with outstanding distinction.

He was never one to seek applause in his legion of accomplishments. To him the satisfaction came from knowing that whatever was done was executed in the best possible manner with devotion and duty. To his many friends, who mourn his passing from our midst, the lines of Kipling, from *The Last Picture*, seem to be most applicable:—

“And only the Master shall praise us,
 And only the Master shall blame;
 And no one shall work for money,
 And no one shall work for fame;
 But each for the joy of working,
 And each, in his separate star,
 Shall draw the Thing as he sees It
 For the God of Things as They are.”

W. C. McD.

ILL. .BRO. .THOMAS HENRY WILLIAMS, 33°

Within the confines of a brief biographical sketch it is impossible to do justice to the life and character of Dr. Thomas Henry Williams. His history in the domain of Freemasonry is an enviable one, and very few Brethren have achieved a more distinguished record.

Our Illustrious Brother was Initiated, Passed and Raised in 1925, in Prince Rupert Lodge No. 1, Winnipeg, Manitoba. He was received into Scottish Rite Freemasonry, Winnipeg Lodge of Perfection, October 29th, 1943, attaining the 14° March 16th, 1945; the 18° of Bethesda Chapter of Rose Croix on March 22nd, 1946, and the 32° Manitoba Consistory, Winnipeg, on March 21st, 1947.

Our Illustrious Brother served the United Church of Canada as a Medical Missionary in the Far East from 1919-1942—later years as Professor of Pathology in West China Union University. Despite the pressure of his Professional duties he found time to identify himself with the activities of the Masonic Craft. In 1936 he served as Worshipful Master, Szchwan Lodge No. 112, Chingteo, China, Grand Lodge of Philippine Islands. In 1939-1941, District Inspector, West China, Grand Lodge of Philippine Islands.

Following his return to Canada he was appointed Pathologist at the Deer Lodge Military Hospital, Winnipeg, in which capacity he served for several years. Once again his active interest in Scottish Rite Freemasonry was manifested, and in 1954-1955 he held the office of Most Wise Sovereign, Bethesda Chapter of Rose Croix, Winnipeg. This was the culmination of his progress in the Rite. He was received into the Royal Order of Scotland, Provincial Grand Lodge, Saskatchewan and Manitoba, on November 14th, 1959.

On October 2nd, 1962, Brother Williams was coroneted 33° Honorary Inspector-General at London, Ontario.

During the First World War he served his country in England and France and was Pathologist at No. 9 Stationary Hospital.

Many honours richly deserved were conferred upon him. From the Canadian Association of Pathologists he received Honorary Life Membership, and London, (England) awarded him an Honours Diploma in Tropical Medicine and Hygiene.

These are a few illustrations of his Professional and Masonic career. Back of all these achievements and distinctions was the man himself. A man of sterling character, ever ready to give and give again what God had given him, and never once wearying in his passion to spend himself "nor count the cost for others' greater good".

In the Name of the God whom he so faithfully served, and for the cause of Healing to which he dedicated his life, his was the record of something worthwhile attempted, something worthwhile done, and "when he passed over, all the trumpets sounded for him on the other side".

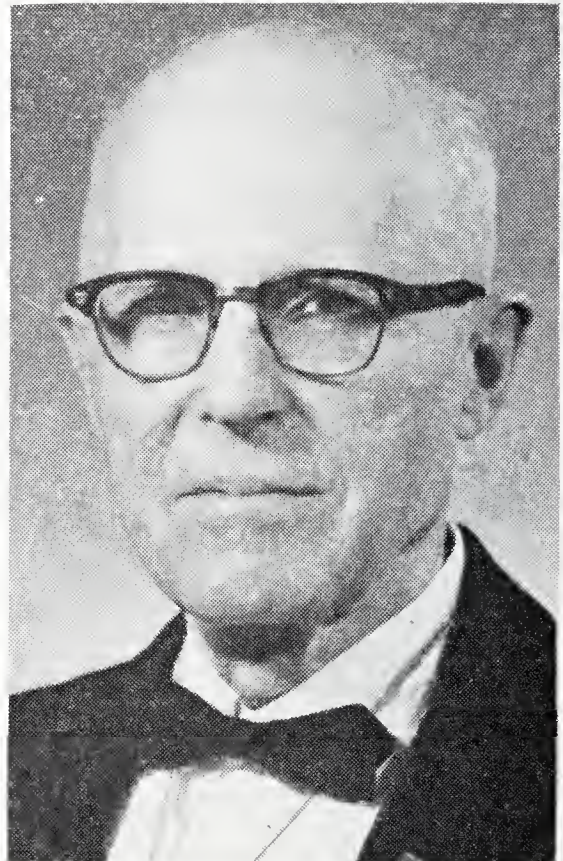
Illustrious Brother Williams died on January 31st, 1965 in Victoria, B.C. where he had recently gone to reside.

To his sorrowing widow, Emmeline, and his children, and all the members of his family we offer our sympathy, and pray that the memory of his fruitful and beneficent life will ever remain a treasured and hallowed recollection until theirs shall be the joy of reunion in the realms of the Blest with the one whom they have lost but only for awhile until Heaven's morning breaks and Earth's shadows flee away.

W. G. M.



ILL. BRO. CLIFFORD F. JUBIENS, 33°



ILL. BRO. GEORGE B. BEAUMONT, 33°



ILL. BRO. CHARLES W. MURRAY, 33°



ILL. BRO. CHARLES H. CRANDON, 33°

ILL. . BRO. . CLIFFORD FLOHR JUBIEN, 33°

Ill. . Bro. . Clifford Flohr Jubien of Halifax passed away after a short illness on February 1st, 1965 at the age of eighty-one years, the son of Frederick and Caroline Jubien.

A life-long resident of Halifax, his successful business career was spent as a painting and decorating contractor, both wholesale and retail.

He was active for many years in the affairs of old St. Paul's Anglican Church, as a vestryman, churchwarden and superintendent of St. Paul's large Sunday School and as a delegate to the Diocesan Synod, and to his Church he gave of his best.

He was also a member of the Board of Directors of St. Paul's Home for Girls and served for many years as its President, rendering very notable service.

Bro. . Jubien was an ardent and active Mason.

Initiated in St. Andrew's Lodge No. 1, Halifax in 1914, he became its Wor. Master in 1922. He received his 14° in Victoria Lodge of Perfection in January 1916; his 18° in Keith Chapter Rose Croix in January 1918; and his 32° in Nova Scotia Consistory in November of the same year. He served as T. . P. . G. . M. . of the Lodge of Perfection, 1921-22-23 and was coroneted as an Honorary Inspector-General, October 1st, 1945.

He received the Royal Order of Scotland on 17th August, 1925 and has served as its first Secretary of the Provincial Grand Lodge of the Royal Order of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island from 10th September, 1926, until the time of his death.

His wife predeceased him some twenty years ago. Two daughters, Frances, Mrs. Robert H. Williams, and Joan, Mrs. Robert C. Saunders, both of Halifax, survive him; also one sister, Florence M., at home, and one brother, Charles E., Toronto; and four grandchildren.

He was buried from St. Paul's Church, the funeral service being conducted by Rev. Dr. W. E. Jefferson, interment in Camp Hill Cemetery.

A man of great integrity; a staunch friend; intensely interested in the Craft and his Church.

R. V. H.

ILL. BRO. GEORGE BLISS BEAUMONT, 33°

It is with deep sorrow and regret that we record the passing of one of the most ardent Scottish Rite Masons it has been our pleasure to have been associated with, in the person of George Bliss Beaumont, 33°, an Honorary Inspector-General of this Supreme Council, on March 7th, 1965.

Our Illustrious Brother was born October 18th, 1894, at Curryville, New Brunswick. His marriage to the former Mineola MacKay took place at Truro, Nova Scotia, on September 14th, 1921. He is survived by his widow, two sons, Donald M., of Toronto, and Douglas, of North Bay, and one daughter, Mrs. R. S. Rigg (Treva), of Stratford, and six grandchildren. Two brothers, Blair of Halifax, and Horace, of Barrie, also survive.

Ill. Bro. George joined the Canadian National Railways in May, 1911, and remained with them until his retirement in October, 1959. He was a Professional Engineer (Civil) and was employed in several localities of the Railways until his transfer to the Northern Ontario District Offices at Toronto in 1922. He moved to North Bay when the Northern Ontario District Headquarters were moved to that point in 1925. He was Assistant District Engineer until his retirement.

He became a member of Nipissing Lodge No. 420 in 1927, later becoming an affiliated member of North Bay Lodge No. 617 and National Lodge No. 588, at Capreol. He was T. P. G. M. of North Bay Lodge of Perfection in 1954 and M. W. S. of North Bay Chapter of Rose Croix in 1952. He received the 32° in Moore Sovereign Consistory May 7th, 1954, and was Coroneted an Honorary Inspector-General, 33°, at Edmonton, September 10th, 1963.

Ill. Bro. Beaumont was an enthusiastic world traveller, having visited almost every country in the world. He gave numerous travel talks, accompanied by the movies he took while on all of his trips.

He was a very dedicated member of the First Baptist Church, being on the Board of Deacons, Vice-Moderator of the Northern Baptist Association, as well as Secretary-Treasurer of that Body. He was Past President of the Boys' Work Board, Executive of the Masonic Temple Board, Past President of the North Bay & District Retarded Children's Association, and was interested in, and a member of so many organizations for good, that it is almost impossible to list them.

All of the organizations of which he was a member and worker will miss his enthusiasm and wise counsel. This can especially be said of his beloved church, and the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite, where he took an active part as a ritualist.

A special service was held in the First Baptist Church, North Bay, on March 10th, conducted by Rev. Neil Price. Members of the Board of Deacons were pallbearers. Ill. Bros. Harry Smith, Vance Trenouth, Thomas Palmer, and Wesley Bradley, Members of our Supreme Council, were Honorary Pallbearers. Interment took place at Terrace Lawn Cemetery.

May the Most High have him in His Holy keeping.
Virtus Junxit Mors Non Separabit.

H. C. S.

ILL. BRO. CHARLES WALTER MURRAY, 33°

It is with a profound feeling of deep sorrow and sincere regret that we record the passing of Ill. Bro. Charles Walter Murray, 33° on April 3rd, 1965, at Vancouver, B.C. With his passing Masonry lost a zealous worker and the community a loyal and unselfish citizen.

Charles Walter Murray was born on November 12th, 1885, at Vancouver, B.C. where he attended public and high schools.

As a youth he was an outstanding athlete and was one of the foremost lacrosse players of Vancouver in the years when the famous New Westminster Salmonbellies and the Vancouver Lacrosse team held the Canadian championship.

For many years he was associated with his brothers in the plumbing business. Later he was appointed to the Vancouver Harbour Board where he was highly respected by all his associates.

He was a member of Mount Pleasant Presbyterian Church for a great number of years and later a member of Chalmers United Church.

Ill. Bro. Murray's greatest interest and activity was in the Masonry he loved. He was initiated, passed and raised in Mount Hermon Lodge No. 7 in 1913 at the age of 28 years. He was honoured with his fifty year medal from the Grand Lodge of B.C. in 1963.

It was in Scottish Rite that his interests were more pronounced, receiving the 14° in Vancouver Lodge of Perfection on February 21st, 1919, the 18° in the Vancouver Chapter Rose Croix on April 16th, 1919, and the 32° in British Columbia Consistory at Vancouver on December

7th, 1921. He was coroneted an Honorary Inspector-General 33° on September 20th, 1955, in the City of Vancouver, B.C.

He presided as the Thrice Puissant Grand Master of Vancouver Lodge of Perfection for the year 1946; Most Wise Sovereign of Vancouver Chapter of Rose Croix in 1947 and Commander-in-Chief of British Columbia Consistory in 1958.

Thus he lived and thus he died, respected by all who knew him. He went out of the affairs of this world with many kindly thoughts following him, as a devoted husband, father, citizen and friend.

He is survived by his widow Ethel L., son Walter and daughter Muriel. To them we extend our heartfelt sympathy.

So we record the passing of a loyal friend and co-worker, whose transactions and characteristics of life were honour, integrity and duty, these he practised at all times. To his name and memory we say:

A face we loved has vanished
In the darkness of the night
A sturdy soul has left us
For the realm of peace and light.

D. M. T.

ILL. . BRO. . CHARLES HOWLAND CRANDON, 33°

In the passing of Ill. . Bro. . Charles Howland Crandon on April 13, 1965, at the age of 93 years and 6 months, the Scottish Rite bodies in the Valley of Saskatoon lost their most faithful member and worker.

Ill. . Bro. . Crandon was born in Brantford, Ontario October 10, 1871, receiving his education in the Public School and Collegiate in Brantford and at an early age went to Vancouver where he became associated with the Canadian Pacific Railway in 1890. He spent several years in B.C. with the Canadian Pacific Railway and while there married Miss Susan Ann Rea, who predeceased him in the fall of 1957.

In 1908 he was transferred to Saskatoon as Chief Clerk in the Division Offices of the Canadian Pacific Railway, retiring on December 31, 1936.

His Masonic career was not only interesting but most outstanding as he received his 3rd Degree in Nelson Lodge No. 23, Nelson, B.C.,

September 27th, 1899, and was Worshipful Master of that Lodge in 1903.

When the Nelson Royal Arch Chapter No. 123, Nelson, B.C., was formed Ill. Bro. Crandon was the first candidate receiving his Degrees in that Chapter April 13 1900, and was First Principal of Nelson Chapter No. 123 in 1904. In 1906 he was Grand Superintendent of Kootenay District No. 18, B.C.

In 1913, there being no Lodge of Perfection in Saskatoon, he became a member of Regina Lodge of Perfection, receiving his Degrees on May 24, 1913; in 1916 he received his 18th Degree in Regina Chapter of Rose Croix and in January 1917 he received his 32nd Degree in Winnipeg.

When Saskatoon Lodge of Perfection was instituted September 12, 1919 he was elected Senior Grand Warden and was T. P. G. M. in 1921 and 1922.

On September 8, 1926, Saskatoon Chapter of Rose Croix was instituted and he was elected M.W.S. serving in that capacity for the years 1926-1928 inclusive.

Ill. Bro. Crandon was also a member of the York Rite and was affiliated first Principal of Royal Arch Chapter No. 4, Saskatoon, as well as honorary life member of Chapter No. 4 and was Grand First Principal of Saskatchewan Royal Arch Chapter in 1923.

He was presiding officer of Saskatoon Preceptory for the years 1912 to 1914 inclusive, was an honorary life member of that Preceptory and received his "Fifty Year" Jewel in 1964.

He was a life member of Sovereign Great Priory of Canada and served one year as Provincial Grand Prior of Saskatchewan. On October 4, 1927, he was coroneted Honorary Inspector-General receiving his 33rd Degree in Hamilton, Ontario.

He was one of the Fathers of the Scottish Rite Bodies in Saskatoon, was a Charter Member and a Life Member of Saskatoon Lodge of Perfection as well as a Charter Member and a Life Member of Saskatoon Chapter of Rose Croix and a Life Member of Manitoba Consistory.

For services rendered at the institution of Moose Jaw Lodge of Perfection and Alexander Shepphard Chapter of Rose Croix, Moose Jaw, he was elected an Honorary Life Member of both Bodies and in 1959 in appreciation for his services in the Craft in general and to Nelson Lodge No. 23, Nelson, B.C. in particular was constituted an Honorary Member with full privileges.

From the time Saskatoon Lodge of Perfection was formed until 1947 he was Chairman of the Character Committee and at the time of his retirement from the Canadian Pacific Railway in 1936 he was Chairman of the Work Committee. He was Chairman of the Character Committee in the Chapter for a number of years after his retirement in 1936.

It is doubtful if his record with respect to attendance at the meetings of the Scottish Rite bodies, as well as the York Rite Bodies, will ever be equalled in this Valley.

He was an outstanding ritualist in fact a perfectionist, and he had a remarkable memory which fortunately he retained until just shortly before his death and was capable of assuming any Chair in the Bodies to which he belonged in case his services were required.

He remained a member of Nelson Lodge, No. 23, Nelson, B.C. and received from them his "Fifty Year" and "Sixty Year" pins.

On December 11, 1964, at a meeting of Saskatoon Lodge of Perfection he was presented with his "Fifty Year" jewel as a member of the Scottish Rite Bodies and, if my memory serves me correctly, that was the last meeting he was able to attend of the Scottish Rite Bodies. He had received many other honors throughout the years from Masonic Bodies to whom he had given years of service.

He was generous, tolerant, loyal and honest and the Masons in this Valley shall miss him to a great degree. His health began to fail him shortly after the first of the year and his condition became such that it was necessary to place him in the City Hospital where he passed away early in the morning, April 13th.

He leaves to mourn his loss two sisters, Misses Ruth and Mabel Crandon residing in Brantford, and to them goes our sincerest sympathy. The funeral service was held on Saturday afternoon, April 17, in Saskatoon Funeral Home, the service being conducted by Rev. Murray MacDonald, Pastor of Westminster United Church. Pallbearers were three particular friends from the Scottish Rite Bodies and three from the York Rite Bodies. Local members of Supreme Council were in attendance at the service and there was a good representation from the Craft Lodges as well as the Scottish Rite and York Rite Bodies.

"His life was gentle and the elements
So mixed in him that Nature might stand up
And say to all the world, "This was a man!"

L. H.



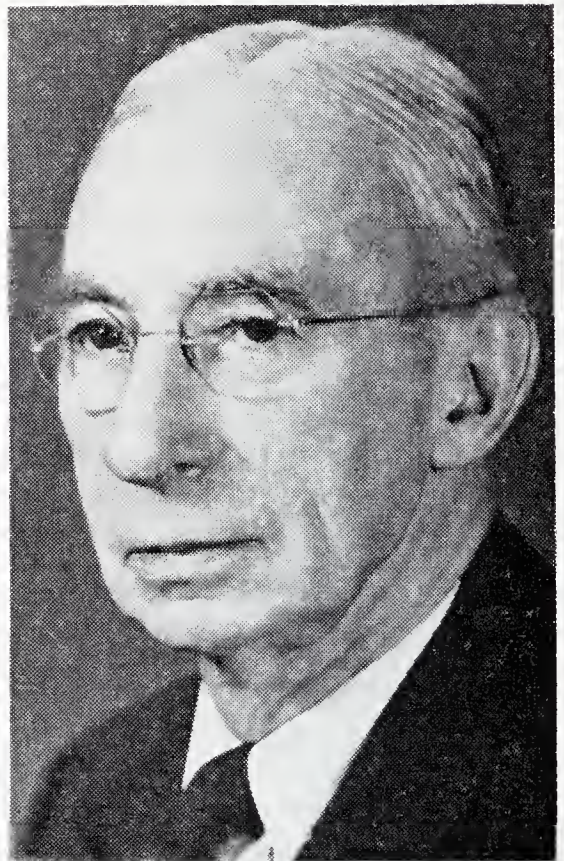
ILL. ° BRO. ° CHAS. MacK. WALLACE, 33°



ILL. ° BRO. ° ALBERT P. L. GOERING, 33°



ILL. ° BRO. ° WILLIAM SCOTT, 33°



ILL. ° BRO. ° ROBERT SWINTON, 33°

ILL. BRO. CHARLES MacKENZIE WALLACE, 33°

On Sunday, April 18th, 1965, the Great Architect of the Universe claimed one of Oshawa's prominent citizens, a kindly gentleman and an outstanding mason, in the person of Ill. Bro. Charles MacKenzie Wallace, 33°. He passed away at the Oshawa General Hospital after a lengthy illness.

Ill. Bro. Wallace was born in Belleville, in 1893, and was educated there, and was employed at the Steel Co. of Canada's Belleville plant for two years. He also worked for the Bell Telephone Co. and was engaged in the electrical business in that city prior to joining the Canadian Expeditionary Forces in 1915.

He returned to Canada, as a R.S.M. (W.O. 1) in August, 1919, and joined the General Motors organization in Oshawa where he was employed in Cost, Service and Parts Control Depts. until his retirement in June, 1958.

Ill. Bro. Wallace was well and favourably known for his active service in community affairs and fraternal activities. He married Susie Laretta Harrison in Oshawa in 1922. The Wallaces celebrated their 40th Wedding Anniversary in Sweden in July, 1962.

He was a long-time member of Simcoe St. United Church, a Past Master of Cedar Lodge, No. 270, A.F. & A.M., having been accepted into masonry in 1920. He was also a member of the Toronto Lodge of Perfection, the Toronto Chapter of Rose Croix, and the Moore Sovereign Consistory in Hamilton. He was coroneted an Honorary Inspector General, 33°, in Edmonton, September 10th, 1963.

Ill. Bro. Wallace served as Worshipful Master of Cedar Lodge in 1937, as well as D.D.G.M. for Ontario District 1953-54, and was Chairman of the Blood Donors' Service, for Ontario District, for two years. He was Director, on many occasions, for the several degrees of the Scottish Rite in Toronto and was a Past-President of the Oshawa Scottish Rite Club.

In his church activities he served eighteen years on the official board of Simcoe St. United Church and chaired the Music, Ushering and Fellowship committees.

A Masonic Service was held on Monday evening, April 19th, 1965, and funeral services were held in McIntosh-Anderson Funeral Home on Tuesday, April 20th, with interment in Union Cemetery.

'Chuck', as he was so well known by the masonic brethren of Oshawa and Toronto, was a pillar in Masonry in this area. Never flagging in his Masonic activities, he was something of a masonic encyclopedia to the masons throughout the district. Certainly he set an example of how to practise brotherly love, for those of us are left to emulate.

T. L. W.

ILL. BRO. ALBERT PHILIPPE LOUIS GOERING, 33°

It is with sadness and profound regret that we report the passing to higher service on April 19th, 1965, of one of our oldest members, Ill. Bro. Albert Philippe Louis Goering, 33°, Honorary Member of the Supreme Council, A. & A.S.R., for the Dominion of Canada in his 96th year. He was remarkably well all his life—never having had an illness, and spending only four hours in hospital on the day he died. His love of people, his joy in living, his great gift of friendship, coupled with absolute faith—with consequent lack of worry—produced a serenity which was lovely to behold in one so elderly. He was 'young' in spirit always, and oblivious of the years behind him. In Freemasonry he found a satisfying outlet for his enthusiasm and brotherly love.

"Obie", as he was familiarly known, was born in Hamilton, Ontario, on October 10th, 1869, youngest son of the late John William Goering. He was educated at Central School and Hamilton Collegiate Institute. He entered the employ of the Canada Screw Company in Hamilton, Ontario, and in 1902 became Superintendent of the Columbia Screw Company in Chicago, Ill. In 1903 he returned to Canada, and was Manager of the Brantford Screw Company until it amalgamated with The Steel Company of Canada. In 1906 he built the first automobile showroom in Hamilton on King Street West, and in 1907 expanded the firm with the first Automobile Tire and Accessory business. In 1963 when the Hamilton Motor League was celebrating its 60th Anniversary, he was invited to come to their offices to reminisce about the early days of motor cars and motoring. Unknown to him, it was taken down on a tape recorder so that the history of an era would not be lost.

He was interested in all branches of the Masonic Order. His great love, however, was the Scottish Rite to which he rendered a devoted and unselfish service over a period of 57 years. For many years he was in

charge of the Lighting on the stage and he built and presented to the Scottish Rite an altar and an illuminated Cross which are still in use. In 1952 after North Star Consistory was established at Fort William, Ontario, Ill.'.Bro.'. the late Walter H. Russell, 33°, Active Member of Supreme Council, requested that Bro.'.Goering make a similar illuminated Cross for their Consistory which, of course, he was pleased to do.

He was a member of the Canadian Club when it was first formed in Hamilton; member of the Rotary Club for 23 years; Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Scottish Rite Club for one year, and also a Life Member; member of the Royal Hamilton Yacht Club, from which sailing interests he derived great pleasure over a period of many years. He was also a member of the Hamilton Golf and Country Club for 40 years.

He was greatly interested in helping young people get an education and to get established. He quietly helped several young men, the most notable being a young foreign lad to whom he was a "Big Brother" from the time, as a Rotarian he took his turn in the Juvenile Court, and got him at the age of eight until he graduated from McMaster University with a Bachelor of Arts and later a Master of Arts degree, and then a Doctor of Philosophy degree from Stanford University. He now holds a high position in educational circles in California. This, I am certain, Bro.'.Goering considered one of his most satisfying achievements.

His Masonic career was a notable one, and we list his various affiliations and offices. He joined The Barton Lodge, A.F. & A.M. No. 6, G.R.C. on April 5th, 1907, of which Lodge he was Worshipful Master 1915-1916, and a Life Member. He received his "50-Year" Pin in 1957.

He joined Murton Lodge of Perfection in January, 1908; Hamilton Sovereign Chapter of Rose Croix in November, 1908; Moore Sovereign Consistory in January, 1910. His outstanding contribution to Freemasonry and to the A. & A.S.R. was recognized when he was coroneted Honorary Inspector-General, 33°, on October 7th, 1925. As a gesture of thoughtfulness and great kindness, he was presented with the 33° Jewel with the following inscription — "To Ill.'.Bro.'.A. P. L. Goering, 33°, from the Scottish Rite Bodies of Hamilton — a token of loving appreciation for faithful service". In 1958 he received the "50-Year" Scottish Rite Jewel.

He became a member of Hamilton Chapter, R.A.M. No. 175, G.R.C. in April, 1910; First Principal of the Chapter in 1920; the District Superintendent in 1928. He became Representative for the State of Kansas, R.A.M. in 1929. In 1960 he received his 50-year Jewel.

In 1912 he became a member of Rameses Shrine, of which he was a Life Member. In 1962, he received here, too, his 50-year Jewel.

In January, 1912, he joined Godfrey de Bouillon Preceptory K.T. No. 3, being Presiding Preceptor in 1917. In 1962 he was honoured by being presented with the 50-Year Jewel.

In 1928 he was elected to membership in the Provincial Grand Lodge of the Royal Order of Scotland, in which Lodge he held the Office of Grand Sword Bearer. He took great delight in the intimate fellowship of its Meetings.

He was thought to be a perennial bachelor but on June 27th, 1942, he married Erma McLennan in St. James Cathedral, Toronto, Ontario, the ceremony being performed by His Grace, the late Archbishop Derwyn Trevor Owen, Primate of the Church of England in Canada, 33°, Active Member of Supreme Council and Grand Chaplain of The Royal Order of Scotland. His wife survives him.

Ill. Bro. Goering was truly "a gentleman of the old school", and the last of a long line of fine Masons of his generation. To him Freemasonry was a way of life—not to be treated lightly, but savoured in all its goodness.

Funeral Services were conducted on Thursday, April 22nd, 1965, by The Rev. Dr. A. Lorne MacKay, 32°, Minister of Central Presbyterian Church, Hamilton, Ontario. We quote from Dr. MacKay's prayer during the Chapel Service.

"We thank Thee for the noble qualities of heart and mind and spirit which he exemplified during the course of his long and honourable life and which gained for him the abiding respect, sincere admiration, and genuine love of all who knew him. We praise Thy name, O God, for the blessed memories he leaves to us of one who lived life to the full and to the very end. We remember with thanksgiving how he faced the accumulating years with cheerfulness and optimism, and retained his gaiety of spirit in the multitude of the years; the integrity and dignity of his life; the uprightness of his character; his enthusiastic participation in Masonry; his deep love of home and the courteous manner of his life; his kindly humour and infectious goodness; his serene faith in Thy goodness. We rejoice that he was spared to the fullness of his years free from the failings which so often are the lot of those great in years. Thus—full of years, honoured by his brethren, mourned by his friends, we bid him our earthly farewell as he goes to his long home. May light perpetual shine upon him in Thy blessed presence."

E. & H.

ILL. . BRO. . WILLIAM SCOTT, 33°

Early in the morning of May 6th, 1965, the Valley of Saskatoon lost a devoted Mason, and the City of Saskatoon an outstanding citizen, in the passing of Ill. . Bro. . William Scott to the Grand Lodge above. Apparently enjoying good health, Bro. Scott suffered a heart attack about 4.00 a.m. and passed away shortly after his arrival at the City Hospital.

"Bill", as he was known to his many friends, was laid to rest on the afternoon of May 10th, following the Funeral Service in First Baptist Church, Saskatoon, conducted by the Reverend W. J. Phillips, the Church being filled to capacity by Masons and other friends.

Brother Scott was born on June 24th, 1903, at Falkirk, Scotland, moving to Winnipeg, with his family, in 1906, where he received his education. At the age of 18 he commenced his business career as a salesman for the Quaker Oats Company, with headquarters in Saskatoon (1921-26), Regina (1926-29) and North Bay, Ontario (1929-35). He returned to Saskatoon in 1935 to establish his own Insurance business. In 1946 he acquired the business of Mr. Walter Ross, and operated as Ross-Scott Agencies until his death.

Brother Bill was a devoted family man. He married Louise Randolph Morse of Saskatoon on December 26th, 1928. Their son, Philip Muir, is married and the four grandchildren were a great centre of interest in Brother Bill's family life.

Over the years he became highly respected in his business, as all his actions were based on high integrity. In addition to the demands of his business he found time to be an excellent citizen, as evidenced by his membership in the Saskatoon Club, Saskatoon Community Chest (Past President), Finance Committee of First Baptist Church, and Vice-President of Jubilee Housing Corporation, which is a low rental development for Senior Citizens of Saskatoon. In the Provincial field he was a member of the Saskatchewan Insurance Association (President, 1962). In the Dominion field he was a member of the Life Underwriters Association of Canada (Past National Director), and Past National President of Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Next to his family and his business Brother Bill's major interest was in Masonry. Bro. Scott was Initiated, Passed, and Raised in Nipissing Lodge, No. 420 G.R.C., at North Bay, Ontario, in 1931. He affiliated with Saskatchewan Lodge No. 16, G.R.S., at Saskatoon, on March 3rd, 1942, serving as Master in 1951.

He received the 14°, Saskatoon Lodge of Perfection, May 9th, 1947, and was T.:P.:G.:M.: through the 1957-58 term; received the 18°, Saskatoon Chapter of Rose Croix on April 14th, 1949; received his 32° Saskatchewan Consistory, in Regina, on March 28th, 1950; and was coroneted 33° Honorary Inspector-General on September 8th, 1964, at Ottawa.

On June 14th, 1957, he was made a Noble, A.A.O.N.M.S. in Wa-Wa Temple, Regina; and was admitted as a member of the Royal Order of Scotland in Regina on November 11th, 1961. He was also a member of the Saskatoon Masonic Temple Company Finance Committee.

He was a valued member of all his Masonic bodies. He was always ready and able to give sound advice and assistance in Lodge business. He was an outstanding Ritualist who could take over any office in the Blue Lodge Degrees. Similarly he was a great strength in the ritualistic work of Scottish Rite, directing and participating in Degrees in Lodge of Perfection, Rose Croix and Consistory.

In the field of recreation he managed to play a weekly game or two of golf and do a bit of gardening. He also enjoyed motor trips with Mrs. Scott, and over the years they were able to see a good deal of Canada and the U.S.A. His friends were many; he was a gracious host and a delightful guest.

To his wife Louise, their son Philip, his wife and the four grandchildren, we extend the deepest sympathy of his Masonic Brethren.

"Sleep on, dear friend, such lives as thine
Have not been lived in vain,
But shed an influence rare, divine,
On lives that here remain."

E. K. P.

ILL.:BRO.:ROBERT SWINTON, 33°

Robert Swinton, an outstanding and highly respected citizen of Orillia, Ontario, died in the Soldiers Memorial Hospital, Orillia, on May 12th, 1965. He had not been in good health for some considerable time.

Ill.:Bro.:Robert was born in Orillia, November 1st, 1887. He was the son of a prominent and successful Furniture man. Received his education in the Public and High School, leaving school in 1902 to work with his father. In 1910 he became a partner in Wm. Swinton & Son, and in 1922 took over full control of the business, and retired in 1947.

Our Illustrious Brother was an active member of many branches of the Masonic Order. He was Initiated, Passed and Raised in Orillia Lodge No. 192 in 1912, became Worshipful Master in 1929; Treasurer of his Lodge for 26 years; member of Committee of General Purposes since 1934; appointed Grand Sword Bearer of Grand Lodge by M.W.Bro. Harry Martyn in 1958; made Honorary Member of Orillia Lodge in 1960 and received his "Fifty Year" jewel as a Master Mason in 1962. Bro. Swinton was made a Royal Arch Mason December 10th, 1930, in Couchiching Chapter No. 198, at Orillia, and held Junior Offices in said Chapter, No. 198, at Orillia.

Ill. Bro. Bob began his Scottish Rite career in Barrie Lodge of Perfection, received the 14° September 18th, 1919; the 18° in Spry Chapter of Rose Croix, Barrie, Ontario, March 24th, 1920. On December 10th, 1920, he received the 32° in Moore Sovereign Consistory, Hamilton, Ontario, and was Coroneted Honorary Inspector-General, 33°, September 11th, 1951, at Winnipeg, Manitoba. Representative for Orillia and District for Barrie Valley Scottish Rite, Bro. Bob took an active interest in both the Sixth and Fifteenth Degrees over a period of years. Also he was Vice-Chairman of Masonic Temple Ltd., Orillia, and member of Board of Directors for a number of years.

Bro. Bob was a Past President of the Orillia Curling Club; Past Member, Board of Health; Past Chairman, Boy Scouts Association; Charter Member of the Kiwanis Club of Orillia Inc.; Captain of Red Tam Hunt Club for 15 years. He was also a great worker in his church, St. Paul's United, serving on several Boards. He was interested in curling, bowling, golfing, game clubs and all organizations taking part in Charity drives and celebrations.

At Burk's Falls in 1915 he married Edna Brown, daughter of Rev. James Brown, and they were blessed with one daughter, three sons, also several grandchildren.

Funeral Services were held at the Mundell Funeral Parlors on Saturday, May 15th, 1965. His Minister, the Rev. P. C. Lewis, presiding, followed by a full Masonic graveside Service, largely attended by his Brother Masons. Interment was in St. Andrews Cemetery, Orillia, Ontario.

To his widow Edna, sons, daughter and grandchildren, our deepest sympathies are extended. So Farewell Bob.

"Father in Thy Gracious keeping
Leave we now Thy servant sleeping."

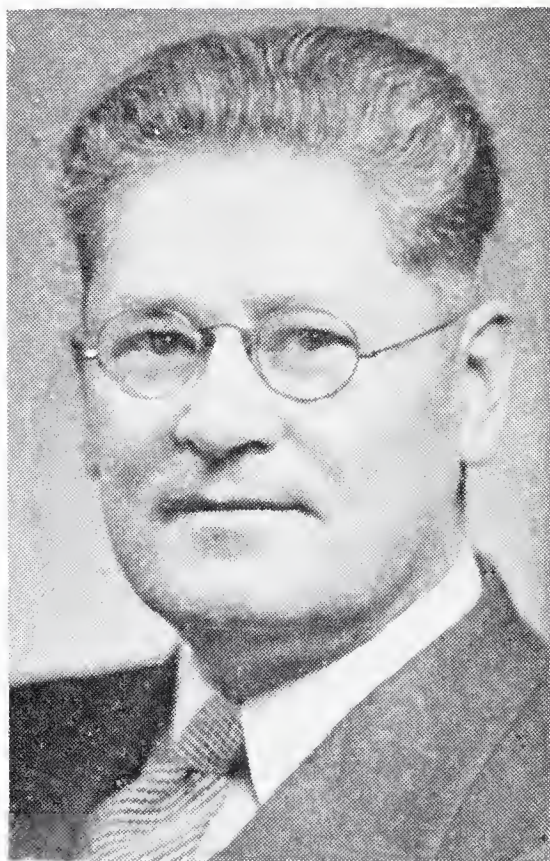
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ILL. ° BRO. ° GEORGE E. M. HUNTER, 33°



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ILL. BRO. KENNETH WILLIAM MacDONALD, 33°

Following a short illness, Ill. Bro. Kenneth MacDonald, 33°, Preston, was called by the Grand Architect of the Universe to the Supreme Grand Lodge above, on Friday, May 28, 1965. Kenneth MacDonald was born at Hespeler, June 15, 1896. He received his education in Hespeler and Toronto. After successfully passing examinations in Optometry at College of Optometry in Toronto, he enlisted in the Army Medical Corps and was discharged in June, 1918.

He went into business in Preston, Ontario, as a Jeweller and Optometrist in July 1918 and retired from the Jewellery Business in 1961, but carried on his Optical Business until his death.

Ill. Bro. MacDonald was initiated into New Hope Lodge, No. 279 G.R.C. Hespeler in 1919. He was Worshipful Master of this Lodge in 1940. In 1918 he moved to Preston where he was Worshipful Master of Preston Lodge No. 297 in 1959. Bro. MacDonald joined Scottish Rite Masonry, Guelph Valley, receiving the 14° in Royal City Lodge of Perfection in 1920 and 18° in Guelph Chapter Rose Croix in 1922. In 1924 he became a member of Moore Sovereign Consistory, Hamilton.

Bro. Kenneth MacDonald was Coroneted Honorary Inspector-General 33° at the Supreme Council Session held in Windsor, 1958.

Kenneth was T. P. G. M.; Royal City Lodge of Perfection 1950-51 and had directed the Seventh Degree for many years prior to his death. He took his Masonic duties seriously and put his heart and soul into each effort. He was greatly respected and loved by his brother Masons.

Bro. MacDonald took an active part in the community life of Preston, serving on the Session of St. Paul's United Church, member of the Library Board and Board of Health.

Our beloved brother is survived by his wife, the former Hilda Legary, and one daughter, Mrs. R. H. Hoffman (Yvonne) to whom we extend our deepest sympathy.

Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Arthur Waters in St. Paul's United Church Sunday, May 30, 1965, with interment in Hespeler Cemetery, Hespeler, Ontario.

Kenneth will long be remembered by his host of friends who now mourn his passing.

“Father in Thy gracious keeping,
Leave we now Thy servant sleeping.”

S. S. S.

ILL. BRO. GEORGE EDWARD MORRISON HUNTER, 33°

On June 1st, death took from us Illustrious Brother George Edward Morrison Hunter, 33°, after a long, busy, useful life, both in his career in business and governmental service and in the Masonic Order, particularly the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite.

In addition to fine, warm personal qualities including quiet dignity, unobtrusiveness and faithful dedication, George's outstanding contribution to the Toronto Valley was made in the musical aspect of degrees and services.

As will be found in the particulars which follow, he studied piano and organ in the town of his birth and when he was transferred to Toronto he found an outlet for his talents which gave him pleasure and provided him with a genuine interest which was greatly appreciated by the great host of friends he made in the Toronto Bodies.

A Service was held in Toronto on June 2nd and interment took place in Ottawa.

Ill. Bro. Hunter was born at Brockville, Ontario, January 31st, 1878, where he received his early schooling in the Public School, Collegiate Institute and Business College of that city. He studied piano and organ and supplied in various Churches there and in Ottawa.

He joined the staff of the "Ottawa Evening Journal" in April, 1898, remaining there until September, 1912, when he entered the Dominion Civil Service on the staff of the Customs and Investigation Branch. In 1932 he transferred to Toronto in charge of the office in that city until retirement in January, 1946.

Bro. Hunter married Mabel Jessie Mills Clarke of Ottawa in 1907. They have one daughter, Mrs. William K. Wilson of Toronto, and two grandchildren. Mrs. Hunter predeceased him on April 26th, 1955.

Bro. Hunter was ordained an Elder of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Ottawa, in 1921, and held the office of Secretary-Treasurer for several years until Church Union, when he became associated with Chalmers United Church and a member of the Session there until he transferred to Toronto. In Toronto he was a member of the Session of Deer Park United Church.

Ill. Bro. Hunter received the M.M.° April 3rd, 1905, in Fidelity Lodge No. 231, Ottawa, Ontario, and in 1906 received the 14° in the Ottawa Lodge of Perfection. In 1908 he received the 18° in Murray Chapter of Rose Croix, Ottawa, and in 1947 the 32° in Moore Sovereign Consistory, Hamilton. After his transfer to Toronto he affiliated with

Toronto Lodge of Perfection and the Toronto Chapter of Rose Croix. Bro. Hunter was coroneted 33° Honorary Inspector-General in October, 1948, at London, Ontario. He was the proud possessor of the "50 Year" Decoration.

"There from the music round me stealing
I fain would learn the new and holy song,
And find at last beneath Thy trees of healing,
The life for which I long."

H. B. M.

ILL. BRO. OLIVER MARTIN PRENTICE, 33°

It is with deep sorrow that we record the death of Illustrious brother Oliver Martin Prentice, 33°, Honorary Inspector-General of this Supreme Council, who passed away very suddenly at his home, 4312 Houlihan Place, Gordon Head, Victoria, B.C., on Thursday evening, June 3rd, 1965 at the age of 70 years. The suddenness of his passing was a great shock to us of this Victoria Valley, who knew him so well; one moment relaxing in his home with friends, and the next moment, called to new duties, not of this earth, but in a place prepared for him in his Father's House.

Ill. Bro. Oliver Martin Prentice, 33°, was born in Greensborough, Maryland, U.S.A. of British parents on January 27, 1895, where he grew to early manhood and where his studies in the field of accounting first took root. He moved to Edmonton, Alberta in 1913 and practised his vocation. Shortly after Canada became involved in the First Great War and in 1916 Bro. Prentice joined the Canadian Expeditionary Force and served in France until the end of the war. He was for a time with the Army of Occupation in Germany. In 1918 he was decorated with the Military Medal. Upon his discharge he located in Victoria, B.C. in 1919 and his first employment was with Burdick Bros. Ltd. Investments. He remained with this firm until 1932. Several and varied were his business activities for the next years extending to the year 1948 when he became Secretary-Treasurer and a Director of the Island Tug and Barge Ltd., a world wide enterprise, with which firm he remained until his retirement in December, 1962. He then entered private practice.

Ill. Bro. Prentice was a Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Secretaries, member of Certified General Accountants Association and Past District Governor, National Retail Credit Association, District No. 10, Pacific North West.

Ill. Bro. Prentice was no less active in the sphere of Freemasonry. He had a deep interest and an extensive career in Masonry. He was raised to the Degree of Master Mason in St. Andrew's Lodge No. 49, Victoria, B.C. on July 28, 1922. Served as Worshipful Master 1932-1933. He held the office of Treasurer, years 1961-62, and as Secretary, years 1963 to date.

In the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite he received his 14th Degree on January 29, 1924 in Victoria Lodge of Perfection, the 18th Degree on March 31, 1928 in the Victoria Chapter of Rose Croix and the 32nd degree on May 25, 1946 in the British Columbia Consistory, Vancouver, B.C.

He was Thrice Puissant Grand Master in the year 1945-46 and Most Wise Sovereign year 1937-38.

Ill. Bro. Prentice, 33°, was coroneted an Honorary Inspector-General at St. Andrew's, N.B., on September 5, 1961.

When Colville Lodge of Perfection, located at Nanaimo, B.C. was Instituted on June 15, 1963, Ill. Bro. Prentice became its first Thrice Puissant Grand Master. He was also a member of the Red Cross of Constantine and a member of the Royal Order of Scotland.

Ill. Bro. Prentice was a member of the Anglican Church of Canada and served it most faithfully throughout his life. He filled many offices appertaining thereto. He was Vicar's Warden from 1920-31, member of the Anglican Synod of the Diocese of British Columbia years 1921-46, acting on the Finance Committee for 16 years. The funeral service for our Brother was conducted on Monday, June 7, 1965, at McCall's Funeral Home by the Ven. Archdeacon A. E. Hendy in the presence of a large gathering of friends who attended to pay tribute and respect.

Our Brother was twice married.

To Margaret Elizabeth Jones on May 26, 1919, who died April 16, 1943, leaving one daughter surviving, Florence Margaret Alice, wife of Sov. Prince Edward C. Cunningham, 18°. His wife, Janet Margaret Wallace MacKinnon, whom he married April 28, 1956, survives him.

To his widow and family are extended sincere sympathy in their great loss. We mourn his passing. Here was honesty, ability, calmness and tranquility of spirit, faithfulness, intelligence and zeal, all making the true friend and Brother.

"VIRTUS JUNXIT MORS NON SEPARABIT."

J. T. C.

ILL. BRO. WALTER ELWOOD CUMMING, 33°

On Monday July 26th, 1965 after a lengthy illness, Ill. Bro. Walter Elwood Cumming, passed away at the Parry Sound General Hospital, at the age of 93. The news of his death was a shock to his many Brethren and friends.

Ill. Bro. Cumming was born at Heathcote, Ontario on June 16th, 1872. He moved to Parry Sound in 1911 and worked as a tailor for Donaldson and Kenny eventually taking over the business which he carried on for many years, later taking over the issuing of automobile licenses for the District.

In 1902, Ill. Bro. Cumming took his first step in Masonry in Beaver Lodge No. 234 G.R.C. at Thornbury, Ont., where he later was installed in the chair of King Solomon. He affiliated with Granite Lodge No. 352 G.R.C. at Parry Sound, Ont. His interest in Masonry in general and Granite Lodge in particular was profound. He was well known for his excellence in the work and for his famous annual "oyster supper" which has been discontinued the last few years because of his ill health.

He joined Barrie Lodge of Perfection and Spry Chapter Rose Croix in Barrie in 1918. He was a member of Moore Sovereign Consistory and was coroneted an Honorary Inspector-General in October, 1923 and at the time of his death all those who had been coroneted in Canada prior to his date of October 1923 had predeceased him.

His wife, the former Janet Katherine McEdward, predeceased him in 1941. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. N. D. McIsaac, Parry Sound and Mrs. E. M. Warnack, Toronto and three sisters, Mrs. H. Barnes of Toronto, Mrs. T. Richardson of London, and Mrs. T. E. Connor of Ottawa, to whom sincere sympathy is extended.

Ill. Bro. Cumming was a member of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church in Parry Sound for many years.

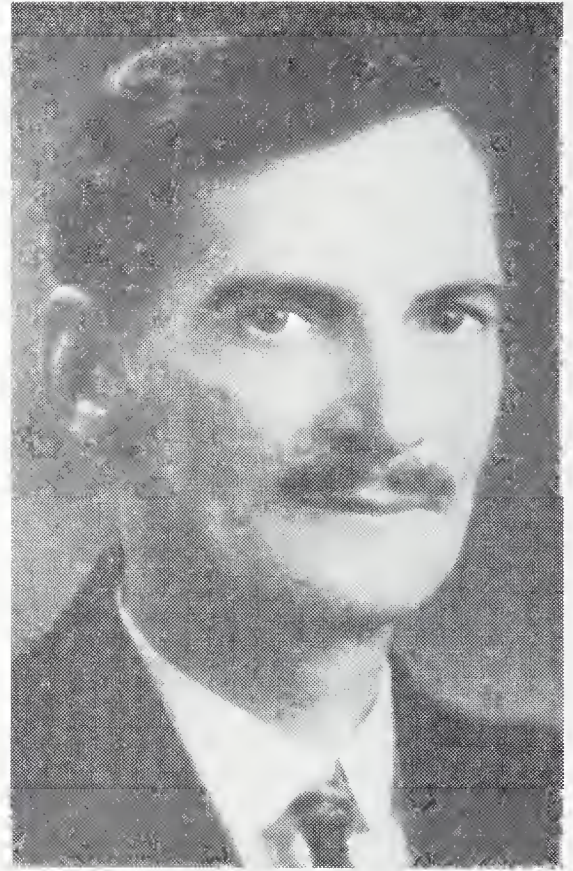
The funeral was from the Logan Funeral Home, with interment in the Hillcrest Cemetery on Wednesday July 28th 1965. The Rev. B. Crooks officiating.

A number of brethren including two Honorary Members of Supreme Council from Barrie attended a Masonic Service held by Granite Lodge on Tuesday evening.

C. J. A.



ILL. BRO. JAMES HANNA NESS, 33°



ILL. BRO. ARCH. H. MacQUARRIE, 33°

ILL. BRO. JAMES HANNA NESS, 33°

In the passing of James Hanna Ness on Monday, September 13th, 1965 at the Toronto East General Hospital, Scottish Rite in the Valley of Toronto lost one of its most loyal and faithful workers.

James Ness enjoyed excellent health and took an active interest in all phases of home, church and fraternal life until he was suddenly stricken at his home during the evening meal the day previously.

Jim Ness, as he was affectionately known, was a quiet man, a man of few words, but with a sympathetic heart to those in need, no effort was too great if he thought that he could be of assistance to anyone who required a helping hand.

Born in the City of Edinburgh, Scotland, on April 12th, 1889, of a sincere and thrifty Scotch family, he decided early in life to try to better establish himself for the future and so left his native country at the age of twenty and came to Canada. After a short stay in Montreal he was attracted to what seemed to be greener fields in the City of Philadelphia, U.S.A., but after three years returned to Canada and settled in Toronto. Here, he took up the work of photo engraving with the Brigden Company and remained actively employed with this Company until his retirement when approaching his seventy-fifth year.

In 1916 he married one of the clan, a Scotch lassie from his native city and one son bears his name, William Ness of Agincourt, Ontario.

Brother Ness was a family man who enjoyed his home, gardening, motoring and his church (Woodgreen United) and his great love for Masonry and the friendships which it brought. Friendships which he found to be a great consoling comfort when his wife predeceased him in 1961.

His Masonic career began when he was initiated in Antiquity Lodge, No. 571, in 1926, and then shortly after became a Charter member of Dentonia Lodge No. 651, when it was Instituted in 1930. Seeking further advancement in the Order he joined the Scottish Rite in 1927, and went on to receive his 32nd Degree in Moore Sovereign Consistory in 1946.

From the time he joined the Scottish Rite he was an active worker behind the scenes and for over thirty-five years arranged the settings for the Degrees as Master of Appointments. In this particular field he was a perfectionist, his outstanding service and faithful attendance was recognized when he was coroneted an Honorary Inspector-General, 33°, on September 11th, 1951, at Winnipeg, Manitoba.

The Mystic Shrine also claimed his membership and support.

In his passing we mourn the loss of a devoted mason, a loyal brother, and a man dedicated to the Christian principles which were his way of life.

Brother Ness was buried on Wednesday, September 13th, in Resthaven Memorial Gardens, Scarborough, Ontario, the Service being conducted by the Rev. W. C. Smith of Woodgreen United Church. A large and representative assembly of his many friends were in attendance to pay their last respects to this worthy Brother.

E.J.H.

ILL. BRO. ARCHIBALD HENRY MacQUARRIE, 33°

Windsor Valley and Masonry in general, suffered a great loss in the death of Illustrious Bro. Archie MacQuarrie, who was called to the Grand Lodge above on October 4th, 1965, after a short illness. His devotion to the principles of Masonry will be ever remembered by his brethren who will miss his sage advice and cheerful greetings.

He was born at Tansley, Ontario, on March 9th, 1893. He graduated from the University of Toronto in 1914, with a degree of Bachelor of Applied Science. He then joined the armed forces, where he served with distinction from 1915 to 1919, being awarded the Military Medal for bravery. On his discharge in 1919, he found employment with Canadian Bridge Co. Ltd., Walkerville, Ontario, as a contracting engineer, with which company he remained active until his retirement several years ago.

Bro. MacQuarrie was initiated in Naphtali Lodge No. 413, Tilbury, Ontario, November 23rd, 1920, and affiliated with Border Cities Lodge No. 554, Windsor, Ont., January, 1925, becoming its Worshipful Master in 1933. He was elected District Deputy Grand Master of Windsor District in 1937, in which office, he won the love and esteem of his brethren.

He joined the Windsor Lodge of Perfection in 1921, the Windsor Chapter Rose Croix, 1922, and received his 32° at Hamilton, Ontario, on May 4th, 1922. Bro. MacQuarrie was coroneted 33° Honorary Inspector-General on October 7th, 1941, at Regina, Saskatchewan. He served as T. P. G. M. of Windsor Lodge of Perfection and as M. W. S. of Windsor Chapter of Rose Croix.

He joined Thomas Peters Chapter No. 250 R.A.M., on February 9th, 1938, and was a Past First Principal. He was a Past Preceptor of Windsor Preceptory No. 26 K.T. and also Past Thrice Illustrious Master of Essex Council No. 16, Royal and Select Masters, and was later elected as Grand Conductor of Council for the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters.

He was a Past Sovereign of St. Johns Conclave No. 11, Windsor, Ontario, and was honoured by being elevated to the office of Grand Sovereign of the Grand Imperial Conclave, which office he served with distinction. He was an Honorary Past Master of International Lodge No. 4, Royal Ark Mariners. He was elected a member of the Royal Order of Scotland and also of the Ontario Priory—Knights of the York Cross of Honour.

In Civic Affairs, he was very active as Mayor of Ojibway for four years and represented that municipality on the Essex County Council.

He served eight years on the Senate of Western University, London, Ontario, and resigned to serve Windsor University on the advisory Board of Essex College (Engineering).

He served with distinction on the Windsor Essex Advisory Board to the Canadian National Institute for the Blind, being its Chairman from 1959 to 1961. He was a member of the East Windsor Public School Board from 1928 to 1930, and was Chairman in 1930. He was a member of the Windsor Public Library Board from 1936 to 1940 and served as Chairman in 1938. He was a member of the Engineering Institute of Canada and also of the Professional Engineers Association of Ontario. He was also a member of Correspondence Circle, Quatuor Coronati Lodge No. 2076, London, England.

During the last few years of his life, Ill. Bro. MacQuarrie visited each of the hospitals in Windsor weekly, this bringing cheer and consolation to hundreds of patients who all looked forward with anticipation to his visits. He will be greatly missed by many of the shut-ins of the city.

Ill. Bro. MacQuarrie is survived by his wife, Janet; his Mother, Mrs. Mary MacQuarrie, of London, Ontario; one son, Jack, Toronto, Ontario; and one daughter, Mrs. Ernest (Helen) Tessier, Windsor, Ontario.

A Masonic Memorial Service was conducted by W. Bro. N. Burnie on Tuesday evening, October 5th, at the Anderson Funeral Home. A very large attendance assembled to pay tribute to an outstanding and beloved Mason. The funeral service was held at the funeral home on Wednesday, October 6th, and a large number of Masons and friends

were present. The service was conducted by Rev. Victor W. Raison. Interment was in Victoria Memorial Cemetery.

“He was a friend whose heart was good,
Who walked with men and understood,
His was a voice that spoke to cheer,
And fell like music on the ear.
His was a smile men loved to see,
His was a hand that asked no fee,
For friendliness or kindness done.
And now that he has journeyed on,
His is a fame that never ends;
He leaves behind uncounted friends.”

G.E.T.

REPORTS OF DEPUTIES

REPORT OF THE DEPUTY FOR ONTARIO

To the Supreme Council, 33°, of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Illustrious Sirs:

This report, covering the Valleys of Fort William, Sault Ste. Marie, North Bay, London, Woodstock, Chatham, Windsor and Hamilton, is humbly submitted.

Ill. Bro. G. F. Kingsmill, 33°, in spite of all physical handicaps, has continued to work for the Rite and has been my guide and mentor in the Valleys taken over from his care, namely, Woodstock, London, Chatham and Windsor. The brethren in these Valleys hold him in high esteem and brotherly affection. I quote from his letter of September 15th, 1964:

“Dear Herb: Our mutual friend has dropped me a line to say you will be taking over several of the Valleys that were my bailiwick. I do have feelings of regret when circumstances force me to surrender my official connection with these Valleys, but the pain is soothed when I know the joy you will derive in knowing these men better.

All Valleys have equally devoted, dedicated and sterling officers and members, but each individual Lodge and Chapter has its own attractiveness — Toronto is different from Barrie, London from Chatham or Woodstock and so on throughout the whole territory.

Sorry Herb, but I’m tiring—it is less than a month since I lost half my understanding. My regards to the boys when you visit them.

God grant you health and strength to discharge your responsibilities in your new territory.”

Fraternally,
(signed) FRED.

FORT WILLIAM	Consistory		Chapter		Lodge	
Meetings held	10		8		16	
Membership	Decrease	5	Increase	11	Decrease	3

On October 30th and 31st, 1964, in company with Ill. Bro. C. H. Cunningham, 33°, I visited North Star Consistory and we were welcomed by Ill. Bro. Alfred I. McFarlane, 33°, Commander-in-Chief, with the usual North Star hospitality.

Again in February 1965, we packed our bags to visit Superior Lodge of Perfection, at their meeting of February 24th and 25th, but we were 'snowed' in, all transportation was at a standstill and we were unable to get to Fort William. T.:P.:G.:M.:Ill.:Bro.:Jack Reid, 32°, was disappointed as were we too.

Easter Ceremonies, under the direction of M.W.S., Ill.:Bro.:F. J. Hagglund, 32°, showed increased attendance both on Maundy Thursday and Easter Sunday.

On May 13th, 14th and 15th, 1965, Ill.:Bro.:George C. Derby, 33°, Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander, honoured this Valley by an official visit. He was accompanied by Ill.:Bros.:H. B. Jackson, 33°, Co-Deputy for Ontario, and Ill.:Bro.:R. H. Rutherford, 33°, Assistant Grand Secretary-General. Prior to the meeting of the Lodge, dinner was served at 6.30 p.m. and our Sovereign Grand Commander spoke to a capacity gathering. Afterwards the Official Reception took place in the Lodge Room, where the Sovereign Grand Commander was again called upon. In the meantime, the ladies took good care of Mrs. Derby.

Ill.:Bro.:L. B. Davy, 32°, T.:P.:G.:M.:., was congratulated, as were M.:W.:S.: Ill.:Bro.:W. R. Rogers, 32°, and Ill.:Bro.:Harry B. Sinfield, 33°, Commander-in-Chief, on the work they are doing at the Head-of-the-Lakes. Our Active Member Ill.:Bro.:C. J. Boyle, 33°, is a tireless worker, loved by all the brethren, and to him we owe great thanks, which were ably expressed by the Sovereign Grand Commander.

Congratulations are in order to Ill.:Bro.:C. H. Moors, 33°, who celebrated his Golden Wedding Anniversary on September 9th.

Honorable mention goes to Ill.:Bro.:C. A. Auld, 33°, for his interesting articles in the Scottish Rite Bulletin, of which he is editor.

SAULT STE. MARIE

	Lodge	Chapter
Meetings held	9	9
Membership	6 Increase	5 Increase
Easter Ceremonies	Maundy Thursday 120	Easter 47

In company with Ill.:Bro.:C. H. Cunningham, 33°, I visited this Valley at their Fall Reunion, November 12th, 13th and 14th, 1964. Ill.:Bro.:J. B. Sainsbury, 33°, both T.:P.:G.:M.: and M.:W.:S.:., greeted us and made us welcome. The degree work was excellent. Ill.:Bro.:Archbishop W. L. Wright, 33°, Active Member, was unable to be with us, but wrote sending his best regards. Ill.:Bro.:Cunningham spoke to the brethren on Friday and I had the pleasure of addressing them briefly on Saturday.

Ill. Bro. W. E. Morley, 33°, is assisting Ill. Bro. Sainsbury in the writing of the history of this Valley, which we will look forward to reading.

Ill. Bros. M. Krezek, 32°, T. P. G. M., and G. F. O. Wilson, 32°, M. W. S., can be counted on to forward the work of this sound Valley.

Our oldest Honorary Member in Sault Ste. Marie, Ill. Bro. Charles R. Eaid, 33°, was glad to see us and we to see him; and he sends his regards to Supreme Council.

A Ladies' Night was held on January 27th, 1965 well attended and enjoyed.

NORTH BAY		Chapter	Lodge
Meetings held		9	10
Membership		18 Increase	21 Increase
Easter Ceremonies	Maundy Thursday	257	Easter 205

The Lodge Room here has been enlarged. There are now 110 bucket type padded seats, air-conditioning and more washroom facilities.

The history of the Valley has been completed by Ill. Bro. H. C. Smith, 33°, Grand Secretary and Registrar. I enjoyed reading it.

An official visit was made by me on October 2nd and 3rd, 1964, to the Reunion of North Bay Chapter of Rose Croix. Ill. Bro. A. C. Kilgour, 32°, M. W. S., made us welcome, and we enjoyed the work presented to the 40 candidates, who were really impressed.

Under the direction of Ill. Bro. Kilgour, Easter Ceremonies were provided at Kapuskasing, Smooth Rock Falls, Englehart, Cochrane, Powassan, Chalk River—Deep River, Sudbury, Kirkland Lake, Little Long Rapids and Timmins-South Porcupine. Our Honoraries in this Valley deserve our thanks for their keen interest.

Accompanied by Ill. Bros. G. S. Rogers, 33°, and D. J. Miller, 33°, I paid an official visit to North Bay Lodge of Perfection, on April 2nd and 3rd, 1965. We were welcomed by Sov. Prince J. McGowan, 18°, T. P. G. M.. There were 54 candidates, 21 of them received the 4th and 5th degrees at Kirkland Lake on March 20th, 1965, for which purpose a dispensation was granted (under articles 33 (4e) and article 51.) In this way, the Kirkland Lake men were away from their work only one day.

Our congratulations to Ill. Bro. T. M. Palmer, 33°, made an Honorary Fellow of Huntington University.

The Valley continues to prosper, the Honoraries and Officers work well together and it is a treat to sit in with them and listen.

WINDSOR	Chapter	Lodge
Meetings held	8	10
Membership	7 Increase	4 Decrease
Easter Ceremonies	Maundy Thursday 217	Easter 17,

Accompanied by Ill. Bro. R. H. Rutherford, 33°, I paid an official visit to Windsor Chapter of Rose Croix on November 24th, 1964. We were royally welcomed by the M. W. S., Ill. Bro. W. S. Raymond, 32°. After dinner at the hotel, we made our way to the Temple and had an opportunity to meet the members of the Class; to chat with them as well as shake them each by the hand. We were duly received in full form and enjoyed the work of the 18°, which was conferred with dignity befitting this beautiful degree. After the degree, light refreshments were served and we had a pleasant visit with the officers.

On May 11th, 1965, our Sovereign Grand Commander Ill. Bro. George C. Derby, 33°, paid an official visit to Windsor Valley, and with him were Ill. Bro. W. G. Welby, 33°, Grand Secretary-General, H. E., and Ill. Bro. R. H. Rutherford, 33°, Assistant Grand Secretary-General. Mrs. Derby was looked after by the Windsor ladies. Dinner was held by the Lodge at 6.30 p.m., with our Sovereign Grand Commander as speaker. An official reception was made in the Lodge Room, and thanks were expressed to the Windsor Brethren who had 'gone all out' for their distinguished guest.

CHATHAM	Chapter	Lodge
Meetings held	7	6
Membership	26 Increase	4 Increase
Easter Ceremonies	Maundy Thursday 123	Easter 40

I was unable to visit Chatham because of conflicting dates; and unfortunately it was impossible to work in a visit by our Sovereign Grand Commander. However, I am looking forward to an early visit. Ill. Bro. G. S. Rogers, 33°, Past Commander-in-Chief of Moore Sovereign Consistory was the speaker at the Fall Reunion of Kent Chapter of Rose Croix, under the direction of M. W. S., Ill. Bro. Glen Ludwig, 32°, and reported on the fine calibre of the work.

The Election and Installation of officers of the Lodge was held February 2nd, 1965, with Ill. Bro. C. D. Sulman, 33°, the Installing Master.

The Election and Installation of officers of the Chapter was conducted by Ill. Bro. C. M. Fry, 32°.

At the Spring Reunion of Chatham Lodge of Perfection, under the direction of Sov. Prince H. M. Roach, 18°, T. P. G. M., April 6th and 10th, 1965, statutory degrees 4 to 14 inclusive were conferred and at dinner on April 10th, at 6 p.m., Ill. Bro. J. Fairbairn Smith, 33°, Editor of the "Masonic World", Detroit, Michigan, was the speaker.

WOODSTOCK

Meetings held	10 regular and 2 emergent
Membership	10 increase
Easter Ceremonies	Maundy Thursday 54; Easter Sunday 45.

Election and Installation of Officers was held February 4th, 1965, under the direction of Ill. Bro. J. C. Ferguson, 33°, when Ill. Bro. E. A. Webber, 32°, was succeeded by the now late Ill. Bro. William Vale, 32°, whose untimely death on May 26th, 1965, was a sad blow to the brethren.

The 6th Degree was portrayed at the March Meeting and the 11th Degree at the April Meeting.

Charter Members Reunion was held April 28th and 29th, 1965, and on April 29th, the Lodge was honored by an official visit of the Sovereign Grand Commander, Ill. Bro. George C. Derby, 33°, who was accompanied by myself and several brethren from Hamilton and other points.

Dinner was served at 6.30 p.m., and our Sovereign Grand Commander was the speaker, leaving a stirring message with the capacity attendance. Afterwards a reception was held in the Lodge, where the 14° was conferred. Ill. Bro. George C. Derby, 33°, was called on to comment on the work, and congratulated the brethren for the excellence of the lessons of this degree.

By-laws to set up a plan for commuted dues are in course of preparation and approval, having been referred to the Committee on Audit and Finance.

LONDON	Chapter	Lodge
Meetings held	10	9
Membership	39 Increase	27 Increase
Easter Ceremonies	Maundy Thursday 339	Easter 166

The Fall Reunion of London Chapter of Rose Croix was held November 7th, 1964, Ill. Bro. J. C. Sutherland, 32°, M. W. S. presiding. The speaker was Ill. Bro. John A. Irvine, 33°, M. W. the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

On November 16th and 17th, 1964, the Fall Reunion of the London Lodge of Perfection was held, Ill. Bro. H. Sparling, T. P. G. M. presiding. The speaker was Ill. Bro. John G. Diefenbaker, 33°.

I paid an official visit to London Lodge of Perfection, Election and Installation held under the direction of Ill. Bro. W. H. Kipp, 32°, on February 15th, 1965. Ill. Bro. G. F. Kingsmill, 33°, Active, was present and on his behalf, I had the pleasure of presenting a 50 year jewel to Ill. Bro. W. H. Rath, 33°.

London Chapter of Rose Croix held its Spring Reunion, April 3rd, 1965, the speaker Ill. Bro. F. J. Veale, 33°.

On May 1st, Ill. Bro. George C. Derby, 33°, Most P. Sovereign Grand Commander, accompanied by myself, Ill. Bro. W. G. Welby, 33°, Grand Secretary-General H. E., Ill. Bro. G. S. Rogers, 33°, and others paid an Official Visit to the Spring Reunion of London Lodge of Perfection. The London ladies took care of Mrs. Derby. Our Sovereign Grand Commander visited Ill. Bro. G. F. Kingsmill, 33°, Active, at the London Hospital. Several of us also went to the hospital for a short visit.

Dinner was called at 6.30 p.m., our Sovereign Grand Commander being the Speaker. The Banquet Hall in the new Temple was filled to capacity. After dinner, at 8 p.m., the Official Reception of our distinguished guest was held, followed by the 14°. Ill. Bro. George C. Derby, 33°, was called upon and he congratulated the Officers for their fine work and admired their efforts in bringing about such excellent quarters.

I had the honor of presenting a 50 year jewel to Ill. Bro. F. W. Kirkpatrick, 32°.

Dispensation was given to work the 7° at Sarnia and the usual waivers etc., as well as a small change in by-laws.

HAMILTON

Murton Lodge of Perfection	Meetings	10
	Membership	15 Increase

The 85th Annual Reunion was held November 2nd and 3rd, 1964, Ill. Bro. R. F. Inch, 32°, T. P. G. M. presiding. Attendance 601; candidates 36 plus 1 affiliation. The speaker at the noon luncheon on November 3rd, 1964, was Ill. Bro. Walter H. Gibson, 33°, Active, his subject, "The Scottish Rite Charitable Foundation of Canada." Seven Active Members of Supreme Council were present and welcomed.

In January, a dinner was held for the November class, to acquaint them with the History of the Rite and to answer any questions asked.

March 2nd, 1965; preceding the formal opening of the Lodge, the family of our late Ill. Bro. James A. Simpson, 33°, Past Sovereign Grand Commander, were escorted into the Lodge, including 10 grandchildren. Bro. James A. H. Simpson, 14°, presented to the Rite, in memory of their Father, a beautiful Baldwin Electronic Organ. Ill. Bro. C. H. Cunningham, 33°, accepted this gift as President of Towers Limited, for the Scottish Rite Bodies in Hamilton and spoke feelingly of the esteem and affection in which our late brother was held by all.

The Annual Spring Assembly was held May 3rd and 4th, 1965, when our Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander, Ill. Bro. George C. Derby, 33°, paid an Official Visit. At the noon luncheon, May 4th, the speaker was Ill. Bro. Donald M. Fleming, 33°, Active, who gave the brethren a sound address.

At 8 p.m. the T. P. G. M., Ill. Bro. R. F. Inch, 32°, received our M. P. Sov. Grand Commander, Ill. Bro. George C. Derby, 33°, in full form, those accompanying him being the following Active Members of Supreme Council — Ill. Bros. C. H. Cunningham, H. B. Jackson, D. M. Fleming, W. G. Welby, and F. J. Veale. Ill. Bro. G. C. Derby, 33°, assumed the gavel and addressed the brethren briefly and asked the T. P. G. M. to proceed with the work of the evening. The 14° was conferred on the class of 62 candidates, after which in closing the Sovereign Grand Commander was again called upon to address the meeting, which he did, giving the newly received particular attention, concluding a most enjoyable Reunion, ending in true Masonic Spirit.

Attendance May 3rd — 233; May 4th — 485.

We congratulate the Scottish Rite Association of Brantford which held its 50th Anniversary on April 29th, 1965.

50 year jewels were presented to the following during the year ended July 1965; Ernest A. Seymour, 32°, Norman Stirling Able, 32°, F. W. Kirkpatrick, 32°, Charles C. Lindsay, 32°, Roydon Clarence Mills, 14°, Cecil Elmo Shaw, 14°, and Edgar Melverton Springstead, 32°.

HAMILTON SOVEREIGN CHAPTER OF ROSE CROIX

Meetings held	6
Membership	12 Decrease

The Annual Meeting was held September 22nd, 1964. Dinner was at 6 p.m. and suitable entertainment enjoyed. The Deputy gave a report of the recent Sessions at Ottawa. Officers were elected and installed under the direction of Ill. Bro. W. G. Welby, 33°, Grand Secretary-General, H. E., Ill. Bro. E. T. Hulford, 32°, M. W. S., then assumed the Chair.

Ill. Bro. R. H. Rutherford, 33°, presented a P.M.W.S. Jewel to the retiring M. W. S., Ill. Bro. A. W. Bedwell, 32°, and Ill. Bro. G. J. McQueen, 33°, presented a beautiful clock to Ill. Bro. Bedwell. Ill. Bro. C. H. Cunningham, 33°, spoke briefly and thanked the Sovereign Princes for their good wishes to him in his new office of P. Lt. Grand Commander.

On October 27th and 28th, 1964, the 85th Annual Reunion was held. Attendance was 324 and candidates numbered 21 plus 1 affiliation. At the luncheon on the 28th, the speaker was Major General Arthur E. Wrinch, C.B.E., C.D., P.Eng., who spoke on the work of the Canadian Red Cross. His talk was greatly appreciated.

On Tuesday, February 23rd, 1965, the 16° was portrayed.

Easter Ceremonies were held April 14th, and Maundy Thursday the 15th, and Easter Sunday, April 18th, 1965. Attendance — April 14th, 172; April 15th, 374; Easter Sunday, 500.

MOORE SOVEREIGN CONSISTORY

Meetings	4
Membership	143 Increase

June 16th, 1964 — An outside fire escape serving all floors and an elevator serving all floors being deemed necessary, it was resolved that, with the consent and permission of Towers Limited, the building of an enclosed fire escape combined with an elevator be proceeded with at a cost of approximately \$100,000.00.

Subscriptions amounting to about 44% of the total cost have been received; but to single out any one of those who have so far contributed time or money would be decidedly bad form.

Permission was given to take the 20° Cast to Buffalo on November 20th, 1964.

The 85th Annual Reunion was held November 5th, 6th, and 7th, 1964. Candidates numbered 140 plus 1 affiliation. Attendance 1082.

Welcome was extended by Ill. Bro. F. J. Mitchell, 33°, Commander-in-Chief, to Ill. Bro. C. H. Cunningham, 33°, P. Lt. Grand Commander and a number of Active Members of Supreme Council. The speaker at the noon luncheon on Friday was Ill. Bro. J. W. Conklin, Canada's Great Showman. Friday evening Ill. Bro. N. W. Byrne, 33°, introduced the Hamilton Police Choir who were encored many times. Saturday, November 7th, 1964, Ill. Bro. F. J. Veale, 33°, took on the duties of Master of Ceremonies for the luncheon.

This was an outstanding Reunion and at the finish members of the Class stood up and expressed thanks and stated they had not visualized that the Spirit of Brotherhood could be felt as it had been at these meetings.

The Spring Assembly was held May 6th, 7th and 8th, 1965, when our Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander, Ill. Bro. George C. Derby, 33°, paid an official visit and was received in full form by Ill. Bro. F. J. Mitchell, 33°, Commander-in-Chief. Active Members accompanying the Sov. Grand Commander were C. H. Cunningham, H. B. Jackson, W. A. Jones, W. G. Welby, R. M. Stanton, F. E. Belsham, J. H. Forbes and F. J. Veale. Our Sov. Grand Commander assumed the gavel and spoke to the brethren briefly, returned the gavel to the Commander-in-Chief to carry on with the work. Attendance; 1120, candidates, 179 for Hamilton, 1 for Saskatchewan and 1 for Montreal. The work of this first evening, after the welcome to the Sovereign Grand Commander, was the 21°, or "Patriarch Noachite", by the Toronto Cast, who as usual gave a clear presentation.

Ill. Bro. George C. Derby, 33°, was the speaker at the noon luncheon on Friday, May 7th, and was given a standing ovation.

At 5.15 p.m., Friday, May 7th, 1965, the Consistory was suspended for the purpose of Dedicating the Memorial Elevator and Tower. Ill. Bro. F. J. Mitchell, 33°, Commander-in-Chief, called upon each participant who did his part with the utmost sincerity, dignity and impressiveness—long to be remembered. Those taking part in the service were—

Ill. Bro. Rev. Dr. A. Lorne MacKay, 32°	Invocation
Ill. Bro. C. H. Cunningham, 33°	Historical Review
Ill. Bro. Norman W. Byrne, 33°	Presentation of Memorial Tablet
Ill. Bro. George C. Derby, 33°	
M. P. Sov. Grand Commander	Salutation
Ill. Bro. Rev. Dr. A. Lorne MacKay, 32°	Dedication
Ill. Bro. Norman W. Byrne, 33°	Illuminated Appreciation to Ill. Bro. R. W. Cooper, 32°
Hymn — followed by	
Ill. Bro. J. V. Trebell, 33°	Benediction
God save the Queen.	

Permission having been granted, the Drama Casts of the 31st and 32nd Degrees visited Coudersport, Pa., on June 22nd and 23rd, 1965, and were royally welcomed by Ill.:Bro.:W. P. Wells, Commander-in-Chief, and Ill.:Bro.:E. T. Fuller, Grand Secretary, Coudersport Consistory.

Membership Comparison (see report of Special Committee).

8 Valleys	Last Year	Aff. Init. Rest.	Deaths	With & Susp.	This Year	Net Increase
Consistories	6663	325	188	8	6792	129
Chapters	6031	262	151	16	6126	95
Lodges	8505	294	187	32	8580	75
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	21199	881	526	56	21498	299
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IN MEMORIAM

In the list of 526 deaths above, were eight Honorary Members of Supreme Council, whose names will be recorded elsewhere in the Proceedings; also Alexander Burton Lucas, elected to receive the 33°; and the following Active Members of the Council —

Hugh Macdonald Dunlop Thomas Kingsmill Wade
 Clarence MacLeod Pitts

We mourn their loss.

Histories—the T.:P.:G.:M.:s and M.:W.:S.:s have been urged to see that their Valleys' histories are completed.

Work—All Valleys are keenly conscious of the need for excellence of ritual.

Reunion Committees and/or Advisory Committees we find are very important, so that all work is planned and known to officers, past officers and Honoraries and workers.

Clubs—Scottish Rite Clubs have been a great help and deserve special mention.

General—The 'high light' of this year was the visit to Ontario of our Sovereign Grand Commander. The Valley of Toronto held a luncheon in his honor at the Royal York Hotel on May 10th, 1965. On May 12th, the birthday of Ill.:Bro.:George C. Derby, 33°, the Valley of Guelph held a special dinner and afterwards a Reception at the Community House, University of Guelph.

On February 8th, 1965, Ill. Bro. Howard B. Moore, 33°, Active, conducted the Installation of the Officers of Toronto Lodge of Perfection and by his efforts made it an outstanding event. Invitations were sent and calls made inviting members to be present. It is worthy of note and showed what can be done.

Hamilton Brethren attended the Mid-Summer Meeting of the Elgin Lodge of Perfection at Queenston Heights.

A Special Reception for Ill. Bro. Walter H. Gibson, 33°, was held on Friday, June 11th, 1965, by King Hiram Lodge, A.F. & A.M., No. 78, Tillsonburg, in recognition of his many years of faithful service to the Craft.

I presented a 50 year jewel to Sov. Prince W. M. MacLean, 18°, on behalf of Ottawa Lodge of Perfection, on June 10th, 1965.

My sincere thanks to all who accompanied me on visits; to the members of Supreme Council and Officers in all Valleys for their many courtesies; to Ill. Bro. W. G. Welby, 33°, Grand Secretary-General; to Ill. Bro. R. H. Rutherford, 33°, Assistant-Grand Secretary-General and Miss Marion Lees.

Finally, sincere thanks to the Sovereign Grand Commander for his many kindnesses.

The condition of the Rite in the jurisdiction covered by this report is excellent.

H. B. JACKSON, 33°,
Deputy for Ontario.

REPORT OF THE DEPUTY FOR ONTARIO

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of
Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Illustrious Brethren:

FOR THE VALLEYS OF BARRIE, GUELPH, KINGSTON, NIAGARA FALLS, OTTAWA PETERBOROUGH AND TORONTO

My first several weeks of office accounted for a good deal of correspondence, some of it caused by "change of command" and the rest suprisingly heavy though incidental. One cause of this was the putting into effect of the decision of Supreme Council to reaffirm the waiting period of one year between the 3rd and 4th degrees.

Secondary to this it became necessary to call a halt to applications from some valleys for dispensations relaxing this rule, without good and sufficient reason. While obedient to this regulation of Supreme Council, there is abroad a feeling that some good men are lost to Scottish Rite through inability to attract their interest soon enough after their first enthusiasm following the 3rd degree. This is of course not thinking too accurately, because there is no reason not to, and every reason for, approaching craft masons immediately after their raising and telling them the story of the Rite, even though they have to wait a year to achieve the goal.

One of my earliest duties was to arrange for an obituary in memory of Hugh Munro Niven, 33°, Honorary Inspector-General, of Peterborough.

Since then other valleys have suffered losses as follows:

George Oliver Cameron, 33°	Barrie, Nov. 19, 1964
Charles MacKenzie Wallace, 33°	Oshawa, April 18, 1965
Robert Swinton, 33°	Orillia, May 12, 1965
Kenneth William MacDonald, 33°	Preston, May 28, 1965
George Edward Morrison Hunter, 33°	Toronto, June 1, 1965

The valleys mourn the loss of these distinguished brethren.

In addition to the loss of the Honorary members just noted, the Valley of Toronto mourns the loss of Thomas Kingsmill Wade, 33°, Past Sovereign Grand Commander, and the Valley of Ottawa mourns the loss of Clarence McLeod Pitts, 33°, Past Sovereign Grand Commander. This has left two deep gaps in the ranks of the Active Members.

In contrast to these sad remarks it is happily more cheerful to report that Fifty Year medals were given to the following members:

Albert Wesley Baker
William Henry Blake
Charles William Drury
Shirley Trivitt Bobier
Samuel T. Jordan
Sydney Wood Bradley

William Gordon Burns
Frank Gilbert Kennedy
William Melville MacLean
George Alfred Muhlig
Garnet Beverley Tovell

BARRIE:—

On Wednesday the 28th of October 1964, happily accompanied by the late and deeply lamented Past Sovereign Grand Commander, T. K. Wade, a visit was made to Barrie Lodge of Perfection. It was very interesting to visit this pleasant country town situated on the borders of the lake region and the pre-cambrian shield. It was hard to realize that in this small town lies a Valley that stands third in membership in the whole of Canada.

This visit was on the occasion of the Fall Assembly. A class of twenty-five candidates received the 14th degree. There was a splendid attendance and the lodge room was packed. The work was very well presented and the members were enthusiastic. The work bespeaks good and careful rehearsals.

Illustrious Brother Wade and I were indebted to Illustrious Brother Sinclair for the kindly hospitality given at his home. The trip to Barrie and return in company with Tom Wade was instructive as well as entertaining. We had occasion to discuss the boundaries of valleys. I heard of previous troubles and the measures taken to solve them, and from Illustrious Brother Wade I received his interpretation of the findings of the Committee, of which he was a member, and which had dealt with this matter in 1950, 1951 and 1952. These findings of the committee very adequately and charitably defined the boundaries and the matter of implementing waivers.

(Since then, because of difficulties and lack of harmony along the boundaries of some valleys, Illustrious Brother H. B. Jackson and I, as Deputies, have sent out a special letter to all the Valleys in Ontario in an endeavour to rectify this sorry condition. A copy of this letter is appended to this report).

PETERBOROUGH:

On Monday the 23rd of November 1964, in company with Illustrious Brother P. M. Till, 32°, of Belleville, I visited the Peterborough Lodge of Perfection. This is a rapidly growing valley that now ranks among the first ten for membership in Canada. It is only forty-two years ago that this Valley was Instituted. Your Deputy well remembers being

present as a member of the 5th Degree Team from Kingston on that occasion.

I took the part of King Solomon and also delivered the lecture of the degree.

On this evening the Lodge completed its Reunion Assembly when a large class of candidates received the 14th degree. The work was well done and showed careful preparation. This is a strong, vigorous Valley.

Before leaving for home Ill.'.Bro.'.Till and I, along with Peterborough members were warmly entertained at the home of Ill.'.Bro.'. Walter T. Howell, T.'.P.'.G.'.M.'..

GUELPH:

Two days after my visit to Peterborough, on Wednesday the 25th of November 1964, accompanied by Ill.'.Bro.'.W. D. Johnston, 33°, of Kingston, a visit was made to the Royal City Lodge of Perfection at Guelph.

An excellent attendance was recorded at this fall reunion. The work was well and impressively done.

The warm-hearted hospitality of the officers was greatly appreciated. The dinner was a splendid affair and the programme well arranged and carried out.

OTTAWA:

The visit to Ottawa was made on the 11th of January, 1965. Usually the Deputy has made this visit on the date of the annual Reunion, but it was thought that the Lodge is too busy at such a time and so a break with tradition was made in order to make the visit of the Deputy an event in its own right. Subsequent reports from Ottawa endorse this change.

There was a good attendance and the work of the 10th degree was very well done indeed, showing good preparation and earnest endeavour.

I am indebted to Ill.'.Bro.'.Stanton and the officers of the Lodge of Perfection for a very enjoyable and instructive evening.

TORONTO:

On Monday the 8th of January, 1965, your Deputy attended the Toronto Lodge of Perfection as a visitor on the occasion of the Installation of Officers. This was a well conducted and enjoyable affair. Ill.'.Bro.'.Moore was in good form as the Installing Master and an air of dignified camaraderie graced the proceedings. The hospitality of the Toronto brethren was as usual, gracious and cordial.

On Thursday the 18th of March, 1965, your Deputy attended the meeting of the Toronto Chapter Rose Croix, on the occasion of the presentation of the 17th degree. Once more it was a pleasure to see work well done, and to experience the felicities of the noon and evening entertainment. It is always a pleasure and an experience to meet the officers of the bodies, and the Honoraries and Actives of the Valley of Toronto.

On Thursday the 26th of April 1965 I was to have visited Toronto again on my annual visitation as Deputy. Unfortunately I was prevented from being present because of illness.

NIAGARA FALLS:

On the 8th of April, 1965, the meeting of the Niagara Lodge of Perfection was attended. This meeting was for the installation of officers for the coming year. As in other places the ceremony of installation proceeded smoothly and competently. Ill. Bro. Whytock presided as the Installing Master and in his usual urbane and gracious way did well and truly install the officers of the lodge. The quality of Niagara Falls hospitality was admirably displayed at a little get-together at the Niagara Club following the installation.

KINGSTON:

On the 20th of May, 1965, the official visit of the Deputy was made to his home Lodge of Perfection at Kingston. The Fourteenth Degree was well presented and conferred on a small class of candidates. Ill. Bro. Donnelly and his team are to be congratulated on their performance.

Ill. Bro. H. B. Moore, 33°, Past Lieutenant Grand Commander was the guest speaker. He gave an impressive and well received address. Ill. Bro. Mathews, the T. P. G. M., graciously entertained our speaker and other guests at his home after the meeting of the Lodge.

VISIT TO WINNIPEG:

In October, 1964, your Deputy as part of the Winnipeg Valley's endeavour for the Advancement of the Rite, was invited to address the Winnipeg Lodge of Perfection. He was royally received and entertained. It was a privilege to have the pleasure of visiting and speaking to this dynamic valley of the Rite.

ADDRESSES DURING THE YEAR:

The burden of my address at Winnipeg had to do with the Advancement of the Rite and indeed this has been my theme at most of the valleys at which I spoke on my official visits. Other talks had to do

with "Sacred and Secular Lore and the Seventeenth Degree", and on the occasion of Installation Ceremonies an endeavour was made to lighten the evening with "Extracts From My Little Red Book".

VISITS OF THE SOVEREIGN GRAND COMMANDER:

The Sovereign Grand Commander visited Barrie on the 3rd of May, Toronto on the 10th, a week later, and Guelph on the 12th of the month. These visits were enthusiastically received and will be noted elsewhere.

STATISTICS:

In the appendices to the Grand Secretary-General's report the attendance at Easter Ceremonies and the Annual Returns of Membership will be found.

In most valleys there has been a slight growth in the Lodges of Perfection although Barrie, Kingston and Ottawa have just about maintained the status quo. This, really, is not good and there should be a greater increase in membership in all valleys. It is hoped that the work of the late Committee on Membership and of the new Committee for the Advancement of the Rite will bring about a more favourable climate.

Curiously the attendance at Chapters Rose Croix on Maundy Thursday shows that the chapter with the smallest membership had the largest percentage of attendance (51%) and the next smallest had the second largest attendance (34.5%). The other valleys ranged from 24.5% to 18% attendance. The second largest Chapter had the smallest proportionate attendance.

On the whole this has been a good year, characterized by enthusiastic work and good spirit. Improvement is taking place in ways which do not show in an official report. We all look forward to an even better year.

W. A. JONES, 33°,
Deputy for Ontario.

M.W.Ss., T.P.G.M.s.,
The Grand Secretaries and Registrars,
The Valleys of Ontario.
Dear Sir and Brother:

July 2, 1965.

We find it necessary to write to all of the Valleys concerning the matter of masonic harmony at valley boundaries.

If you will look into the Oxford dictionary you will find the word "distance" defined as follows:

DISTANCE:

- I The condition of being at variance discord, dispute, debate.
- II Difference, diversity.
- III (1) The fact or condition of being far off in space, remoteness.
(2) The space lying between any two objects; the space to be passed over before reaching an object; an intervening space.

There follow other definitions which have nothing to do with what we have to write about.

Curiously all, I, II and III are involved in what follows, because a lack of harmony is developing at many points along valley boundaries, due we think to lack of proper interpretation of the Statutes and Regulations with regard to distance. Other factors also are involved.

As your Deputies we hear of these things, and it is our duty to draw attention to these things, and in a general way to try to develop order before chaos is brought about. We think it unlikely that any valley is deliberately at fault in this matter. However some members near boundaries may be overenthusiastic and not acquainted with Article 75 of the Statutes and Regulations and/or with the policy governing the application of this article.

According to article 75 (a) "the Jurisdiction of every constituent body extends half way in every direction from its authorized place of meeting to the authorized places of meeting of other constituent bodies of the same degree in the same Province or Territory".

This makes it easy to find out whether the candidate resides within the Jurisdiction of any one body. All the working tools required are a measuring rule or a pair of compasses and of course a map of the region. If that were all there would be no problem. However road distance and road condition, and rail distance are factors to be considered. Other human factors may be present.

Because of these things the Supreme Council's Committee on Boundaries, in 1950 1951 and 1952, presented reports on the matter of perimeter of Jurisdictions in the Proceedings of Supreme Council of those years. An extract from the 1951 report is as follows: "Your committee is still of the opinion that applicants residing near the arbitrary boundary lines of Jurisdictions within the same Province, should have the privilege of making application for membership to the nearest (or most convenient) Valley in the adjoining Jurisdiction if they so prefer. The Scottish Rite has lost many good men and true who might otherwise now be valued Scottish Rite members. The freedom of man to join any church he may desire might be cited.

The application should be made with the knowledge of the Valley in whose Jurisdiction he resides and referred by the Valley receiving the application to the Deputy of the Province, who would then ask for the necessary waiver if satisfactory reasons are given, each application to be considered on its merits."

In 1952 the report reads in part: "... the feeling was expressed that concurrent Jurisdiction should not be restricted and that Masonic spirit should dictate the solution rather than formal regulations. It is therefore the recommendation of your committee that the Deputies for the Provinces be requested to enjoin the Constituent Bodies in their respective jurisdiction to treat requests for waivers in a broad manner, but having in view the merits of each individual case."

In the light of the above remarks, we therefore enjoin the Constituent Bodies of the Valleys of Ontario to respect all applications from places close to adjoining boundaries on all sides of their Valleys to apply charitable construction and Masonic spirit in the handling of applications for admission, according to the wishes of the applicant. We do further enjoin that the membership of all Valleys be informed of this and that in particular the members living near boundary lines be briefed as to the freedom of choice on the part of the applicant.

As a matter of courtesy as well as a matter of following the Statutes and Regulations, a Constituent Body receiving an application from a point beyond the perimeter of its jurisdiction as defined in Article 75 should refer the matter to the Body which holds jurisdiction and ask for a waiver as outlined in the article.

As a matter of the advancement of the Rite, and in earnest of forthcoming charitable construction and Masonic spirit, let us remember particularly one sentence in the reports of the Supreme Council Committee on Boundaries — "The freedom of man to join any church he may desire might well be cited."

Yours faithfully and fraternally,

H. B. JACKSON, 33° W. A. JONES 33°
Deputies for Ontario.

REPORT OF THE DEPUTY FOR QUEBEC

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Illustrious Brethren:

The membership of the two Valleys in this jurisdiction is spread over an area approximately 1,000 miles long and 300 miles in width which results in difficulties not common to many, if any, other Valleys. In the Valley of Quebec, for instance, only 34 of its 174 members reside within 30 miles of the Temple. However, as is often the case, the sincerity and dedication of the leaders and their helpers more than offset such handicaps and, as a result, slow but steady progress continues in both Valleys.

Death has removed twenty-seven brethren from this jurisdiction during the year and we mourn their loss greatly. Our membership in Supreme Council has remained intact but we sorrow in the loss, in Supreme Council, of members of other jurisdictions, notably in that of Past Sovereign Grand Commander T. K. Wade, 33°, and C. MacL. Pitts, 33° and our Grand Marshal, Ill. Bro. H. M. Dunlop, 33°. Because of his residence so near our territory we feel the loss of Ill. Bro. Pitts especially; his funeral service was attended by Ill. Bros. Cross, Marshall, Robb, Vallieres and the undersigned.

Unlike the practice in effect in the majority, if not all, of our other Canadian jurisdictions, membership in the Province of Quebec is on a strictly 'invitation' basis. This obviously has merit but the practice is incompatible with the applicant-approach requirement of our Craft Lodges and is faulty furthermore inasmuch as the number of applications for membership each year is dependent upon a member-approach, and, unless many of the members are candidate-conscious and willing to take the initiative, membership in the jurisdiction suffers and many worthy Masons are denied the right and benefit of participation in the teachings of this great Order. The fact that only 5.9% of our Quebec Craft members are members of the Rite, as compared with an average of 11.3% elsewhere in Canada, can by no means prove that a larger proportion of our Craft members are disinterested or of an unqualifying standard, but it does show that the membership policy here may be open to question.

I have been present, with few exceptions at all meetings of the Montreal bodies and of the Montreal Valley Executive Committee. On November 14th, I attended the Re-union of the Quebec Lodge of Perfection, at which members of the Montreal Grand Lodge of Perfection

conferred the Seventh Degree. On March 20th, I attended the Reunion of Quebec Chapter of Rose Croix, when members of Hochelaga Sovereign Chapter of Rose Croix assisted their Quebec brethren by conferring the Seventeenth Degree.

Degree work in both Valleys continues to be of a very high order.

The Valley of Montreal was favoured by a visit the week-end of February 8th, by our Sovereign Grand Commander and Mrs. Derby. Illustrious Brother Derby, 33°, attended a meeting of Hochelaga Grand Lodge of Perfection and witnessed the conferring of the Fourteenth Degree; there was an excellent attendance and our brethren were extremely grateful to our Sovereign Grand Commander for his visit and thoughtful message.

Following the proposal at our 1964 Session, I have canvassed all members of Supreme Council in this Valley regarding the suggestion that the permissible quota of Honorary Members be expanded. Not one was in favour of 'watering down' this cherished honour by an extension, in any form, of the existing basis.

A considerable amount of effort has been expended by Ill. Bro. A. J. B. Milborne, 33°, in the Montreal Valley and by Ill. Bro. G. W. Blackburn, 32°, in the Quebec Valley, in assembling data for the publication of a history for this jurisdiction. With the collaboration of Ill. Bro. Blackburn, 32°, Ill. Bro. Milborne, 33°, has agreed to undertake the consolidation of the material and there is little doubt that the History of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite in the Province of Quebec will be published well before the 1967 Session of this Supreme Council.

We have been asked to comment upon reaction to the expanded issue of The Supreme Councillor and I am pleased to report that the expanded ninth edition, issued opportunely, immediately following the 1964 Supreme Council Meeting, and providing much news of the session, was found to be of considerable interest to any whom I had the opportunity of questioning.

The financial position of the two Valleys is very satisfactory, with Montreal showing a Capital Account of \$73,000 and Quebec of over \$5,000, all in high grade investments. Because of substantially increased rental (due to the annual upward adjustments of taxes on the Masonic Temple property) the Montreal Valley is planning an increase in members' dues as of January 1st, next.

While the Craft Lodges in this Jurisdiction showed a membership at the year end of 17,423, a reduction of 289 from the previous year, the Rite bodies report a small increase, as the following table indicates:

	LODGES OF PERFECTION			CHAPTERS			CONSISTORY		
	No. of Meetings	Membership 1965	Inc.	No. of Meetings	Membership 1965	Inc.	No. of Meetings	Membership 1965	Inc.
Montreal	8	858	17	7	799	22	5	870	4
Quebec	4	174	(6)	6	158	3			
	—	—	—	—	—	—			
		1032	11		957	25			
		—	—		—	—			

Attendance at the Easter Ceremonies was as indicated below; it should be noted that Maundy Thursday attendance the previous year was sub-normal because of severe storms in both areas.

	Maundy Thursday		Easter Sunday	
Montreal	197	Inc. 47	237	Inc. 3
Quebec	52	" 26	36	" 6
	—	—	—	—
	249	" 73	273	" 9
	—	—	—	—

We, again, record the good fortune of this organization in the personnel of our Secretarial Staff; this has been impressed upon us, particularly, in their patient and understanding help in the arranging of the meeting of Supreme Council this year in Montreal.

Fraternally submitted,

D. L. WITTER, 33°,
Deputy for Quebec.

REPORT OF THE DEPUTY FOR NEW BRUNSWICK

**To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of
Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—**

Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander, Peers and Brethren:

I have the honour to submit herewith my report as Deputy of New Brunswick for the year ending June 30/65.

The highlight of the year was the most successful meetings of Supreme Council at Ottawa in September, 1964, when new officers were elected for the following three years. I extend my sincere congratulations to those elected and trust their experiences will be pleasant ones.

I must pause here to express my personal sympathy and the sympathy of all the brethren in New Brunswick for the loss sustained in the Scottish Rite in Canada in the passing of Illustrious Brothers Dunlop, Wade and Pitts. Veterans of the Great War too, they were stalwart veterans of Scottish Rite Masonry and their leadership was appreciated from Coast to Coast. The examples which they have left behind them will be challenges to us for years to come.

It was again my pleasure to attend practically all meetings of Scottish Rite in Saint John and also several meetings of the Moncton Lodge of Perfection.

Several meetings of the Honorary 33° members were held in Saint John to discuss membership and attendance and while we feel we have accomplished something from the meetings there is still much to be done. It is noted that we rank near the top in connection with percentage of Master Masons in the Scottish Rite.

The report of Dr. H. W. MacDonald, Thrice Puissant Grand Master of the Saint John Lodge of Perfection showed a very active and successful season. They had nine meetings during the year and unfortunately death played a large part in our membership and the year ended with a loss of sixteen members.

The Moncton Lodge of Perfection had an outstanding year of activity with Ven. Bro. S. R. Hopper, 14°, occupying the East until February 22nd, 1965, when I had the pleasure of installing Sov. Prince Eldon D. Taylor, 18°, as his successor. Ten meetings were held by this Lodge and all were well attended.

The Harington Chapter of Rose Croix on the other hand showed an increase of thirteen. A very busy and prosperous year was headed by Ill. Bro. R. V. Purdy, 32° who relinquished office to Ill. Bro. Wm.

Chahley, 32°, who I had the privilege of installing in office in April of this year. Four meetings were held during the season.

P. L. W. Drader of Moncton was the Commander-in-Chief of the New Brunswick Consistory where a busy and successful season was held. Five meetings were held and membership increased by eight, showing an increase in membership in all bodies of the Rite.

A very well attended Church Service was held by the Moncton Lodge of Perfection on May 2nd, 1965, when the brethren attended service at the Wesley Memorial United Church where a very able sermon was preached by Rev. D. C. Boothroyd, B.A., B.D. and the Scripture was read by the T.:P.:G.:M.:., E. D. Taylor.

The Saint John brethren attended divine service on March 28th, 1965 in St. Andrew and Saint David United Church where the sermon was delivered by Rev. J. G. Russell, B.A., B.D. and the lesson read by Dr. H. W. MacDonald, Thrice Puissant Grand Master.

I was presented in my official capacity as Deputy for New Brunswick at the Grand Lodge Meeting of Free and Accepted Masons held in Saint John on May 27th, 1965.

During the season I conducted the following installations assisted by members of Supreme Council:

April 22nd, 1965—The Harington Chapter Rose Croix in Saint John when Ill.:Bro.:Wm. Chahley, 32° was installed as Most Wise Sovereign. February 22nd, 1965—The Moncton Lodge of Perfection when Sov.:Pr.:Eldon D. Taylor, 18°, was installed as Thrice Puissant Grand Master.

Close touch has been kept with the brethren in Bathurst where a 14° Club is operating. Correspondence has been submitted by both parties in connection with forming a Lodge of Perfection on the North Shore but nothing definite has been decided yet.

Due to the splendid co-operation given to us by Ill.:Bro.:R. V. Harris, 33°, the History of Scottish Rite Masonry in New Brunswick is about ready for the printers and will be printed and distributed to all brethren in New Brunswick before our next Session.

Maundy Thursday was observed in Saint John in the usual traditional manner. Sovereign Prince Sydney Wyatt with his efficient slate of officers conferred the 15° in the afternoon and in the evening. Ill.:Bros.:A. R. F. Reed, 32°, and G. B. Ingraham, 33°, and officers of the Harington Chapter of Rose Croix conferred the 18°. All work was done in a very satisfactory manner and a credit to all concerned.

Following the degree the Feast of the Pascal Lamb was carried out and a very instructive address given by Ill.'.Bro.'.A. C. Lemmon, 33°, Grand Secretary.

The Extinguishing of the Lights was carried out by the Officers of the Harington Chapter of Rose Croix. There was an attendance of one hundred and forty-five, an increase over last year.

The Relighting Services were held in Saint John, Moncton, Fredericton, Newcastle and Bathurst with an attendance of 129.

During the year I had the pleasure of presenting an Honorary Membership Jewel to Ill.'.Bro.'.H. E. Sullivan, 33°, on behalf of the Saint John Brethren and a Past Most Wise Sovereign Jewel to Ill.'.Bro.'.R. V. Purdy, 32°.

Initial steps were taken by New Brunswick and Nova Scotia bodies to hold a Ritual Seminar in Moncton during the spring of 1965 but plans had to be cancelled for the time being.

It has been our pleasure to cooperate with the DeMolay movement by allowing them to use our hall for their meetings in Saint John.

In closing I wish to express my sincere thanks to the brethren in New Brunswick for the co-operation given to me and also to extend thanks to those in Hamilton.

Yours fraternally,

K. R. NELSON, 33°,

Deputy for New Brunswick.

REPORT OF THE DEPUTY FOR NOVA SCOTIA, PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND AND NEWFOUNDLAND

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of
Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:

Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander, Peers, and Brethren:

I, hereby, in accordance with the Statutes and Regulations, submit my report on the state of the Rite in the Valleys of Halifax and Summerside for the year ending 30 June, 1965.

The former Valley consists of a Lodge of Perfection, a Chapter, and a Consistory, while the latter of a Lodge of Perfection and a Chapter.

NECROLOGY

Again it is my sad duty to report the death, on February 1st, 1965, of Ill. Bro. Clifford Flohr Jubien, 33° Honorary, whose memorial has been prepared by Ill. Bro. R. V. Harris, 33°.

We have lost during the year 19 Grand Elect Perfect and Sublime Masons, whom we shall long remember for their good works.

At this time I also wish to record, with great sorrow, the death of Ill. Bro. Cyril H. Colwell, 32°, who attained this degree on 28 April, 1965, and died on June 8, 1965.

He was a Past Grand Master of Masons in the Province of Nova Scotia, who served with great distinction, and who in the past several years devoted all his time and energy to the cause of the Order of DeMolay. He was an Active Member of the International Supreme Council, Order of DeMolay.

I wish also to record at this time the profound sorrow of our Scottish Rite Brethren in this jurisdiction, caused by the unexpected death of three Active Members of this Supreme Council, Past Sovereign Grand Commanders C. MacL. Pitts, 33°, Thomas Kingsmill Wade, 33°, and our Grand Marshal Ill. Bro. Hugh M. Dunlop, 33°, all within a matter of several months. We could not help but feel it is a stunning loss to our Supreme Council. We lament because we do not hear their familiar voices.

MEMBERSHIP

Total membership is 1,286.

Membership in Valley of Halifax is 1,113.

Membership in Valley of Summerside is 173.

The following tables show an analysis of the membership in the various bodies, along with additions and losses.

LODGE OF PERFECTION

Valley	Reported							Membership	
	30 June 1964	Initiated	Affiliated	Restored	Deaths	Withdrawals	Suspensions	30 June 1965	Gain or Loss
Halifax	1090	56	2	2	19	6	12	1113	+23
Summer-side	173	0	1	0	0	1	0	173	0
	1263							1286	+23

THE CHAPTER

Halifax	860	32	2	1	16	5	6	868	+ 8
Summer-side	50	0	0	0	0	0	2	48	— 2
	910							916	6

THE CONSISTORY

Halifax	737	35	2	1	14	3	4	754	+17
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CRAFT—SCOTTISH RITE RELATIONSHIP

Valley of Halifax	S.M. — 13,733	S.R. — 1,113	8.1%
Valley of Summerside	S.M. — 1,511	S.R. — 173	11.4%
Cape Breton	S.M. — 1,997	S.R. — 83	4.1%

The overall picture depicted by these tables shows a net gain for Halifax Lodge of Perfection, none for that of Prince Edward Island, a gain for one Chapter, and a loss of two for Prince Edward Island, and a gain for the Consistory. However, the rate of gain is a little downward.

The ratio between Symbolic Masonry membership and that of the Scottish Rite in the Valley of Halifax is only 8.1 per cent. In Prince Edward Island it is better, viz., 11.4 per cent, and in Cape Breton it is 4.1 per cent.

TRENDS OF MEMBERSHIP IN NOVA SCOTIA

	1955	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965
S.M.	14662	14512	14263	13971	13733		
	—132	—150	—249	—292	—238		
S.R. (L. of P.)	992	1024	1048	1058	1090	1113	
	+ 40	+ 32	+ 24	+ 10	+ 32	+ 23	
Chapter Rose Croix	817	818	844	849	860	868	
	+ 24	+ 1	+ 26	+ 5	+ 11	+ 8	
Consistory	662	677	712	731	737	754	
	+ 11	+ 15	+ 35	+ 19	+ 6	+ 17	

TRENDS OF MEMBERSHIP IN PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

	1955	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965
S.M.	1491	1488	1488	1497	1511		
	+ 10	— 3	0	+ 9	+ 14		
S.R. (L. of P.)	177	176	175	174	173	173	
	+ 5	— 1	— 1	— 1	— 1	0	
Chapter	47	47	48	47	50	48	
	0	0	+ 1	— 1	+ 3	— 2	

LODGES OF PERFECTION

The L. of P. held 11 meetings in Halifax, seven in Summerside, P.E.I., and one in Sydney, N.S.

The annual three-day reunion was held in Halifax in October. There were 38 candidates. The special speakers were Ill.'.Bro.'.Howard B. Moore, 33°, Active, and Ill.'.Bro.'.Conrad Hahn, 33°, Honorary, of the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction. Both delivered most inspiring, interesting, and challenging addresses. The 14th degree was conferred in the Commonwealth Room of the Nova Scotian Hotel.

In the Valley of Summerside there were no initiates, but the prospects at this moment are very good indeed for a good class.

There was a reunion held in Sydney, Cape Breton, on the evening of Friday, November 6th, and the whole of Saturday, November 7th, when 18 candidates received the 14th degree. The obligatory degrees were conferred by casts from Halifax and Truro. This work was all carried out in a church hall. Great credit and thanks were expressed to the members of the Cape Breton Scottish Rite Club for a wonderful and successful experimental effort.

The speakers at this reunion were Ill.'.Bro.'.Mel Chappell, 33°, who spoke at the luncheon, and Ill.'.Bro.'.Dr. A. Gordon MacLennan, 33°,

of the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, gave the address at the dinner. Both speakers made admirable addresses.

CHAPTERS OF ROSE CROIX

Keith Sovereign Chapter in Halifax held nine meetings, and St. Lawrence Chapter in Summerside held four meetings.

The annual reunion was held in Halifax on November 11th and 12th. There were 32 candidates.

The special speaker at the luncheon was Ill. Bro. W. Everett Moseley, 32°, Past Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Nova Scotia, who delivered an admirable and most challenging address.

There were no candidates for the Chapter at Summerside, and there was a loss of two by suspension. Here again there is a good prospect for membership gain for the fall class.

The analysis of the Prince Edward Island statistics shows that a little less than a third of the Lodge of Perfection members have advanced into the Chapter. We all agree that there is work to be done at this level.

Easter ceremonies were held in Halifax, Summerside, and Sydney, as well as in Digby, N.S. Attendance figures were

	1965		1964	
	Maundy Thursday	Easter Sunday	Maundy Thursday	Easter Sunday
Halifax	364 (36%)	280 (28%)	358 (33%)	302 (28%)
Summerside	16 (32%)	20 (40%)		
Sydney	38 (46%)	25 (30%)		
Digby	6 (50%)	6 (50%)		

It is worthy of note that the Scottish Rite Club of Cape Breton put on a rather full ceremony on Maundy Thursday and Easter Sunday. There is every reason, therefore, that a similar participation may be expected in the heart of each of the other Scottish Rite Clubs.

The principal speakers on Easter Sunday were (1) in Halifax: Ill. Bro. R. C. Chalmers, Professor of Theology, Pine Hill Divinity Hall, Halifax, N.S.; (2) in Sydney: Ill. Bro. Rev. Dr. A. Gordon MacLennan, 33°. The Scottish Rite is truly blessed when these Illustrious Brethren address us.

On Easter Sunday afternoon, accompanied by Ill. Bro. J. F. Feeney, 32°, M.W.S., Ill. Bro. E. C. Wilkes, 33°, and Ill. Bro. F. R. C. MacDonald, 32°, we went to the home of Ill. Bro. Dr. A. E. Doull, 32°, where a Bread and Wine Ceremony was carried out.

THE NOVA SCOTIA CONSISTORY

The Consistory held eight meetings.

The annual reunion covered a three-day period, April 26th-28th. There were 35 candidates.

The principal and outstanding visitor and speaker was our own Sovereign Grand Commander, Ill. Bro. George C. Derby, 33°. We were delighted by his presence, and at the same time profoundly saddened by the absence of Ill. Bro. Clarence MacLeod Pitts, 33°, who was to have accompanied our beloved Sovereign Grand Commander on this occasion.

The address of Ill. Bro. George C. Derby was outstanding, and the Scottish Rite Brethren in the Valley of Halifax are most grateful to him for his presence amongst us on this occasion, but were indeed sorry not to have been graced by our first lady.

The speaker at the luncheon was our own Ill. Bro. Donald M. Sinclair, 32°, who, as always, gave us a most interesting address.

SCOTTISH RITE CLUBS

Again I am happy to report of splendid progress made by our four Scottish Rite Clubs. The S.R. Club of Cape Breton Island is about ready to ask for dispensation to open a Lodge of Perfection in Sydney.

A statistical study was made of membership totals for Symbolic Masonry and Scottish Rite of each Club as follows:

Club	S.R.	S.M.	S.R./S.M. Percentage
Northumberland	111	2634	4.2
South Shore	78	1399	5.57
Annapolis Valley	98	2356	4.10
Cape Breton	83	1997	4.16

At a glance one can see that there is much work to be done in our outlying districts or counties in order to bring our percentage closer to 10 per cent.

MEMBERSHIP ANALYSIS

Club	14°	%	18°	%	32°	%	Total
Northumberland	31	(28)	25	(23)	55	(49)	111
South Shore	7	(9)	3	(4)	68	(87)	78
Annapolis Valley	15	(15)	25	(25)	58	(60)	98
Cape Breton	22	(27)	10	(12)	51	(61)	83

Great variations are seen in the composition of these Scottish Rite Clubs. The reasons will require further study. Furthermore, total membership, plus a concentration of membership within 15 to 20 miles of a shire town, suggests the possibility of establishing a Lodge of Perfection in any one of the above-mentioned Clubs. As a matter of fact the S.R. Club of Cape Breton has just about made its decision in this respect.

The Clubs have continued to exemplify five of the ineffable degrees, one in the Chapter, and one in the Consistory.

RITUALISTIC WORK

This continues to be of a high order. The only degrees that are not exemplified by the Valley of Halifax are the 25°, 26°, 27°, 28°, and 29°.

The 19° was presented for the second time, and the Consistory is very proud of this piece of work.

I am very happy to report the question of alternate casts is being received very favourably, and already there are three of them in the Lodge of Perfection. Alternates for important parts is also receiving more attention.

P. C. C. MEETINGS

This committee is the Advisory Committee for the Valley of Halifax, and consists of the immediate past presiding and the presiding officers of each body, plus the next senior officers, chairmen of committees, and the Honorary and Active members of Supreme Council. There are three to four of such meetings per year. The work of the year and all problems are dealt with. Recommendations are studied and finally acted upon by membership as a whole.

A work committee for the Consistory was established, and its structure is based on the one recommended by the Ritualistic Committee of the Supreme Council.

This may lead to a work committee for the Lodge of Perfection and Chapter.

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

At the L. of P. reunion in Halifax in October 1964, there was a luncheon for the wives of the members of Supreme Council, and an afternoon tea for all ladies of the Scottish Rite members, candidates, and for all widows of S. R. Brethren.

In November 1964, at the Sydney reunion there was held a tea for all ladies of members of S. R. Clubs and candidates.

In April 1965, at the Consistory reunion there was a luncheon for the ladies of Supreme Council members.

The annual Ladies' Night dinner was held in Sydney on 1st May, 1965.

The annual Ladies' Night dinner dance was again held in the Nova Scotian Hotel, Halifax, on 7th May 1965. Ill. Bro. F. R. C. MacDonald, 32°, was again chairman of this very successful event.

THE ANNUAL SCOTTISH RITE CHURCH SERVICE

This was held on 6th December 1964, in St. Matthew's United Church. An inspiring sermon was given by the Rev. C. A. A. Beveridge, whose subject was "Where is your brother?" The Illustrious Commander-in-Chief read the lesson.

PRESENTATION OF JEWELS

On 25th March 1965, the Ill. Deputy, Ill. Bro. E. C. Wilkes, 33° and Ill. Bro. F. R. C. MacDonald, 32°, called at the home of Ill. Bro. Arthur Ernest Doull, M.D., 32°, and presented him with the Fifty Year Scottish Rite Jewel.

On 5th May, 1965, Ill. Bro. A. Crease, 33°, Ill. Bro. H. R. Doane, 33°, and Ill. Bro. T. L. Meek, 32°, called at the home in Wolfville of Ill. Bro. Frederick C. Kingdon, 32°, and presented him with the Fifty-Year Scottish Rite Jewel.

On 28th April 1965, we had the unusual pleasure of seeing our Sovereign Grand Commander, Most Ill. Bro. George C. Derby, 33°, present the Fifty-Year Scottish Rite Jewel to Ill. Bro. Reginald V. Harris, 33°, Past P. Lieut. Grand Commander (Hon.)

On 18th March 1965, the Ill. Deputy presented Past Presiding T. P. G. M. Jewels to:

(a) Ill. Bro. F. R. C. MacDonald, 32°, (1961-1963).

(b) Ill. Bro. R. W. Irvine, 32°, (1963-1965).

Also Past Presiding M.W.S. Jewels to:

(a) Ill. Bro. J. E. Montgomery, 32°, (1961-1962), and

(b) Ill. Bro. G. W. I. Creighton, 32°, (1962-1964).

VISITATIONS

The Deputy was called to make many official visitations, which necessitated help, and which was most kindly given.

Scottish Rite Club meetings were officially attended as follows:

The Northumberland S. R. Club by Ill.'.Bro.'.Douglas O. Robertson, 32°. This meeting was addressed by Ill.'.Bro.'.F. E. Milne, 32°.

The South Shore S. R. Club by the Ill.'.Deputy.

The Annapolis Valley S. R. Club by Ill.'.Bro.'.H. R. Doane, 33°.

The Cape Breton S. R. Club by the Ill.'.Deputy.

The Deputy had the honor of representing the Scottish Rite at the annual session of the Grand Lodge of Nova Scotia on 26th June 1965.

The Scottish Rite was officially represented by your Ill.'.Deputy at the 96th Annual Convocation of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, of Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island, and Newfoundland.

At both of these important meetings I expressed our deep appreciation of the co-operation and harmony present between bodies in this jurisdiction. The idea of a Unity Conference and Unity way of Life was stressed.

An official annual visitation was made to the Valley of Summerside on June 18th and 19th. This permitted a careful analysis of the state of the Rite in Prince Edward Island. This was an excellent and fruitful communication.

On Sunday, 18th April 1965, your Deputy again had the honor of representing the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite at the Shrine Easter Sunday Sunrise Service, and the privilege of reading the scripture lesson.

FINANCIAL

The financial structure of the Scottish Rite in this jurisdiction is in a very firm position. The investment assets in the Valley of Halifax of the three bodies as of 31st December 1964, amounted to 116,000 dollars. The investment portfolio is wholly limited to Trustee Securities.

Full credit for this achievement must be given to Ill.'.Bro.'.Archibald Crease, 33°, who has been Treasurer for the S. R. bodies for the past 42 years.

STATE OF THE RITE

In my humble opinion I think the State of the Rite in our Valley is good; and I am pleased with it. However, I am also concerned with it. I am pleased with the enthusiasm and interest shown by our Scottish Rite Clubs. They are all potential sites of a Lodge of Perfection. We have great hopes for the Cape Breton Scottish Rite Club. This body is now prepared to exemplify the 4° and the 7°.

I am pleased with the enthusiasm and interest revealed by our presiding officers in the matter of forming alternate casts. The quality of our officers in all bodies is excellent, and one can see that great care has been taken in making selections. They are all devoted and capable men.

I am highly pleased with the ritualistic work of the degree teams, but I am concerned with the difficulties experienced by Degree Directors in respect to rehearsal attendance. It appears that rehearsing is not so high on that priority list of a brother's commitments from day to day. The teaching of the philosophy of Scottish Rite must not depreciate in any way.

I am concerned with membership attendance at all meetings, including the ever-important Easter Ceremonies.

Advancement of the Rite is receiving serious attention and study by all Scottish Rite bodies throughout Canada, and I have great hopes and confidence in the efforts and recommendations of Supreme Council, through its Committee on the Advancement of the Rite, under the Chairmanship of Past Sovereign Grand Commander R. C. Berkinshaw.

The spirit, the loyalty, and the fellowship of our membership in the Valley of Halifax and Summerside is, indeed, delightfully on a high level.

CONCLUSION

I wish now to express my sincere thanks to Ill.°Bro.°Clyde S. Clancy, 33°, Active Member of Supreme Council; to Past Active Ill.°Bro.°Reginald V. Harris, 33°, to every one of the Honorary membership of the Supreme Council; to our devoted and beloved Secretary, Ill.°Bro.°H. Earl Roche, 32°, who is now seriously ill; and to every member of the Rite who in any way contributed to the strength, the vitality, and the glory of our Scottish Rite.

Especial thanks are due to Ill.°Bro.°J. W. Stenhouse, 32°, Ill.°Bro.°J. E. Montgomery, 32°, and Ill.°Bro.°C. E. Burke, 32°, who have very kindly given great assistance during the Grand Secretary's illness.

My warmest thanks are extended to the Grand Secretary-General, Ill. Bro. Welby, 33°, and to the Assistant Secretary-General, Ill. Bro. Rutherford, 33° (Hon.), for their wholehearted co-operation and gracious help at all times.

To our Sovereign Grand Commander I may say that it has been an honor and a privilege to serve the Supreme Council as its Deputy, and to you, Most Puissant Sir, I extend my thanks for your encouragement, your courtesy, and your inspiration to me and to my Brethren.

Faithfully and fraternally,

T. M. SIENIEWICZ, 33°,
Deputy for Nova Scotia, Prince
Edward Island, and Newfound-
land.

REPORT OF THE DEPUTY FOR MANITOBA

**To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of
Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—**

Illustrious Brethren:

This year has been a brighter and more productive year for Scottish Rite Masonry in Manitoba. Our re-organization in the Winnipeg Bodies is now working and showing results. It has been intimated that the Brandon Bodies will more than likely adopt those portions of our operations suited to their use. As our new operations are the high light of our year, I will report on our two main Committees.

STUDY COMMITTEE UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF Ill. Bro. Robert L. Jex, 33°.

Last year I reported that a committee had been formed to study ways and means of co-ordinating all the administrative functions of the three Scottish Rite bodies in Winnipeg. During the course of their study the committee sought the assistance of the Sovereign Grand Commander and the Grand Secretary-General and we are most grateful for their interest in this work and for their valuable suggestions.

In September of last year this committee presented its report to myself, the Hon. Inspectors-General and the officers of the three bodies in the Valley of Winnipeg. They recommended that a corporation named "Scottish Rite Assets (Winnipeg)" be formed to administer all property and funds of the constituent bodies and to present to them annually a financial statement with respect to the funds of each body in its possession or under its control.

The business of the corporation would be conducted by a Board of Management consisting of the principal officers, the secretaries, and treasurers of the three bodies, and three members appointed by the Deputy. This Board would be competent to consider, make decisions and take appropriate action in all matters of an administrative or financial nature, and which have an established precedent in the history and traditions of Scottish Rite in Winnipeg. Matters requiring action that would be a departure from established precedent would be referred to the constituent bodies for approval.

The documents for incorporation under the Companies Act of the Province of Manitoba consisting of the Memorandum of Agreement, the by-laws and the regulations, were carefully explained and discussed with the Hon. Inspectors-General and the officers who unanimously recommended their presentation to the three bodies. At succeeding meetings of

the bodies appropriate motions were passed amending their bylaws to transfer control of their property to the new corporation. These amended by-laws were subsequently approved by the Sovereign Grand Commander after the Grand Secretary-General had kindly given them his advance scrutiny and tendered valuable advice on the drafts of the documents of incorporation.

The initial meeting of the corporation was held in January of this year with monthly meetings thereafter. While it is too early to appreciate fully all the advantages of the new method of administration some have already become apparent.

For example, substantial savings have already been effected by co-ordinating our insurance requirements; investment of surplus funds can be made earlier since advance cash requirements can be better estimated. Also a very active committee of the board has been studying the proposal that the Scottish Rite participate with the Blue Lodges in the building of a new Masonic Temple in Winnipeg. Their enquiries will cover all aspects of future Scottish Rite activity in Winnipeg as it will affect our space requirements, our future membership, our plans for portrayal of degrees and our financial capabilities. Another year will get this operation in full swing. At the present all concerned are pleased with the outcome of this new arrangement. It is working out extremely well.

We have another important Committee under the Chairmanship of Ill. Bro. Donald Campbell, 32°, covering "What we are doing or hope to do for the advancement of the Rite in Winnipeg", which also includes the most important objective of trying to build new quarters for our Scottish Rite Bodies. A most comprehensive report of this committee was distributed to each Deputy across Canada.

Generally speaking we had a better year in Manitoba. Once more I remind you we only have the two Valleys Brandon and Winnipeg. Although Brandon has shown a loss in membership of 6 in each Body, Lodge of Perfection and Rose Croix Chapter, Winnipeg made up for this with increases of 34 in the Lodge of Perfection, 5 in the Rose Croix Chapter and 12 in the Consistory, which is a much better showing than last year. Ill. Bro. Walter C. McDonald, 33°, Active Member for Manitoba, and several Winnipeg Brethren accompanied me on visits to Brandon to do an Installation and view the work. I believe if Brandon do adopt some of our new policies they will undoubtedly begin to show improvement. Down in membership two years running they showed a drop in Easter services on Maundy Thursday and Easter Sunday morning. Ill. Bro. Walter C. McDonald and I will have to devote more time and effort in assisting the Brandon Brethren to strengthen their operations and get around the corner and on the upswing again. Bethesda

Chapter Rose Croix, Winnipeg, had an increase of 10 on Maundy Thursday but a decrease of 12 Easter Sunday morning. We are more than maintaining the National average in Manitoba and are pleased with our Easter services.

Both Brandon and Winnipeg have Historical Committees and have promised to have Histories written for 1967. From time to time when checked they report progress.

Fifty year jewels were earned by the following Brethren: Ill. Bro. R. D. Guy, Ill. Bro. R. A. Gillespie, Ill. Bro. R. S. Ramsay, Sov. Pr. F. E. Umphrey, Ill. Bro. E. S. Feldsted, Ill. Bro. G. L. Guy, Ill. Bro. J. N. Smith.

With the help of the Sovereign Grand Commander in Vancouver and Ill. Bro. W. A. Jones of Kingston, one of the Deputies for Ontario, and our Brethren in Manitoba we were able to congratulate and thank these fifty year members sincerely for their long service to Scottish Rite Masonry.

Many excellent and well attended meetings were held in Winnipeg; especially the Consistory meeting, held in honor of Ill. Bro. A. George Cowan, 33°. It was called the A. G. Cowan Reunion of Degree Work 1965 and took place March 11th and 12th this year. Ill. Bro. George was officially received, lauded and presented with suitable mementos, the choice one being a beautifully hand done illuminated address adorned with hand painted replicas of the three Past Jewels of Office of the three Bodies. Another was a lovely red leather bound book which was signed by most of the Brethren attending the meetings, Manitoba 33° Brethren, Officers of the Consistory and Candidates. Ill. Bro. George made a very modest and fitting reply, thanking the Consistory for the High Honor, and sincerely thanking the Brethren for the opportunity of serving them and Masonry.

We did have better all round meetings with larger attendance and nicer catering. We changed our Meeting notices in style as well as color, just to relieve the monotony of the same old ones we had been using for years.

We were pleased to complete the conferring of Degrees 6 to 14 inclusive on Ex. Bro. Howard Duncan Mitchell, 5° at the request of the Deputy for B.C. Ill. Bro. George C. Derby, 33°, and our Sovereign Grand Commander.

This year has been a tragic and unfortunate year for us in Supreme Council as we record the deaths of three of our beloved members. First Ill. Bro. Hugh M. Dunlop, 33°, our Ill. Grand Marshal. Next Ill. Bro. Thomas K. Wade, 33°, Past Sovereign Grand Commander and our Ill.

Grand Treasurer-General, H. E. . Then Ill. Bro. Clarence MacL. Pitts, 33°, Past Sovereign Grand Commander. These men have been carrying a heavy part of the load in our Supreme Council and will be sorely missed by our Sovereign Grand Commander as well as by all the officers and Scottish Rite members. Balustres were issued covering their many outstanding qualities. We also lost by death two of our Honorary Inspectors-General in Manitoba. Ill. Bro. Frederick Harold Blythe, 33°, and Ill. Bro. Thomas Henry (Harry) Williams, 33° who had recently moved to B.C. and had been transferred to the "At Large Group" by virtue of Article 16. We note the deaths of other members of our Council and those of near Councils. We extend our sincere sympathy to those left to mourn the loss of their loved ones.

We in Manitoba are pleased with the appointment of Ill. Bro. Walter C. McDonald as Grand Marshal of our Supreme Council and the Deputy of Manitoba as Grand Representative near our Supreme Council for Honduras. We indeed are happy to have Ill. Bro. R. Coulton Berkinshaw, 33° as our Ill. Grand Treasurer-General, and we note with satisfaction other appointments the Sovereign Grand Commander has made during this year.

We are looking forward to seeing the Foundation in operation and expect it will be shortly after the Montreal meeting.

We are hoping to arrange to have the Sovereign Grand Commander make an official visit to Manitoba this fall which would give us a real good start on our 65-66 program.

Once more we remind you that we have Hotel reservations taken care of for our Supreme Council meeting in Winnipeg in 1967.

We tender our sincere thanks to all who have so graciously helped us during the year, especially to the officers and the staff at Hamilton.

It has been a busy but rewarding year and I am indeed grateful to be counted a member of this grand organization.

Fraternally submitted,
GEORGE A. WILSON, 33°,
Deputy for Manitoba.

REPORT OF THE DEPUTY FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite for the Dominion of Canada:

Illustrious Brethren:

In so far as I am aware this will be the first report of a Deputy to himself as Sovereign Grand Commander, however, I am pleased to report that with the aid of Ill.^o.Bro.^o.R. A. B. Wootton, 33^o, Ill.^o.Grand Standard Bearer and some of our Honorary members of Supreme Council the duties of Deputy have not been neglected.

I personally paid official visits in my dual capacity to the Vancouver Bodies and later to the Okanagan Lodge of Perfection in Vernon, Victoria Lodge of Perfection, Kootenay Lodge of Perfection in Nelson, Boundary Lodge of Perfection in Trail, Cariboo Lodge of Perfection in Prince George.

At my request Ill.^o.Bro.^o.Wm. Tyre, 33^o, Honorary, assisted by other Honorary members of Supreme Council and members of the Vancouver Bodies, constituted and consecrated the Fraser Valley Lodge of Perfection and reported a very fine meeting. This Lodge promises to be very successful under the leadership of Ill.^o.Bro.^o.R. H. Johnson, 33^o.

It is with sincere regret that I must report the sudden passing of Ill.^o.Bro.^o.Oliver M. Prentice, 33^o, T.^o.P.^o.G.^o.M.^o. of Colville Lodge of Perfection in Nanaimo. The necessary obituary has been prepared.

I am happy to report that Scottish Rite Masonry in British Columbia is continuing to make a very fine contribution to Masonry in general. The great need, however, in Vancouver particularly is for more adequate lodge quarters. This is a matter of considerable thought on the part of the officers and members and it is to be hoped that something definite will be done in the not too distant future.

I have had discussions and correspondence with Brethren in British Columbia and also Whitehorse, Y.T. regarding the possibility of forming Lodges of Perfection. These discussions have not as yet arrived at a point where definite steps can be taken.

An increase is shown in the Lodges of Perfection of thirty-eight (38) in Rose Croix Chapters of forty-two (42) and in the Consistory of sixty (60). Thus, it will be seen that with the exception of two Lodges of Perfection there has been an increase and in all chapters of Rose Croix and in the British Columbia Consistory there has also been an increase.

Finally, I am happy to report that the Scottish Rite Bodies are in a healthy condition, and I feel confident they will continue to improve each year.

During the year, it has been necessary that I avail myself of the services of some of the Honorary members of Supreme Council, and I feel I can do no better than to include in this report a report made to me by Ill.'.Bro.'.Wm. Tyre, 33°, Honorary member of this Supreme Council. His report follows:—

“On Saturday, September 26, with the assistance of many brethren from Okanagan Lodge of Perfection and Vancouver Lodge of Perfection, I installed the officers of Cariboo Lodge of Perfection in the City of Prince George. Ill.'.Bro.'.C. W. Morrow, 32°, has an enthusiastic group of officers, and this enthusiasm combined with the extraordinary economic development of the area, augurs well for the future of this lodge. While Bro.'.Morrow's departure from Prince George is to be regretted, I feel the lodge will make speedy and substantial progress.

On October 24, I conducted the ceremony of consecration and constitution of Fraser Valley Lodge of Perfection; following which I installed the officers. I am grateful for the assistance given me by my fellow Honoraries, and the officers of Vancouver Lodge of Perfection. This lodge is in capable hands of experienced members of the Rite. Situated as it is, in an agricultural community, progress may be slow for some time to come. Development in the larger area is such that a successful future lies ahead.

February 12, I installed the officers of Vancouver Lodge of Perfection, and on April 22, the officers of Vancouver Chapter of Rose Croix. Once more may I tender my thanks to those brethren who assisted me on these occasions, particularly Ill.'.Bro.'.H. T. Cottrell, 33°. The Chapter suffered a severe loss in the passing of Ill.'.Bro.'.R. W. Wilson, 32°, on April 10, on which dates the Chapter degrees were conferred and communicated.

While attendance at Maundy Thursday, and Easter Day services was reasonable, I do feel that many who were not there could have been, if they were brought to have a deeper realization of the significance of the obligations of a Prince Rose Croix.”

As I shall be covering the situation in British Columbia in another capacity, I shall now close this report with my very sincere thanks to the members of Supreme Council who have supported me so acceptably under rather extraordinary circumstances during the past year and with the hope they will have a new Deputy for the coming year.

All of which is fraternally submitted,

G. C. DERBY, 33°,
Deputy for British Columbia.

REPORT OF THE DEPUTY FOR ALBERTA

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of
Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:

Illustrious Brethren:

Once again it is time for me to make my report to you of the facts regarding Scottish Rite Freemasonry in Alberta, during the past year, in order that you may form some idea of the conditions of the Province.

I must tell you frankly, that, in spite of extra efforts on the part of officers and members of all Bodies, the results, numerically, are rather disappointing. The weather of course has had an adverse effect on the attendance at various functions, which were intended to boost the numbers and interest of our members. Our winter was most severe, blizzards, extreme cold and drifted roads, all took their toll.

Among some of the new programs initiated for the first time, were the addition of a banquet at the close of Consistory in Edmonton; previously there had been no banquet at the end of the Reunion. In Calgary all the degrees of Perfection were conferred and communicated in two days, as part of the Reunion of the Lodge of Perfection. Usually they confer the degrees month by month, and end the year with the 14th degree and a Ladies' Night. Both of these programs were a decided success and shall probably be continued in the coming years. The conferring of the degrees in what is known as a Field Day, was found to be helpful to a number of candidates from outside the city.

In spite of these added events, which apparently proved most satisfactory to officers and members, the attendance was increased by a very modest number. The great number of members we had hoped would turn out were not in evidence. However, it is my opinion that the programs should be continued, with the hope and expectation that the modest gain achieved this year may be increased in another year. It is admitted we have not found a solution to the problem of attracting candidates or enticing our present members to turn out in greater numbers. The Scottish Rite Curling bonspiel held last March, attracted a goodly number of enthusiastic curlers from various parts of the province, but the golf tournament, held in Lacombe, was very poorly attended. We had counted on these two events to bring together a large number of our members.

I wish to inform you of the enthusiasm and efficiency of the officers of all ten Bodies in the province. They have held committee meetings, prepared programs, and directed degree work. It has been a pleasure to work with them, and I appreciate the great amount of time

and effort they have expended on behalf of their lodges. Only dedicated and interested members can be good, efficient officers.

At the Reunion of the Alberta Consistory at Edmonton last October, the 21st degree was conferred for the first time in the past thirty or thirty-five years. The unique part of this program was that the degree was conferred by members of the Central Alberta Valley and not one of them had ever seen the degree conferred. We were very fortunate in that we were loaned complete costumes and regalia from Regina, together with the most valuable assistance of Ill. Bro. Tom Brown of Regina. This degree sparked the interest and enthusiasm of a large number of members who had not been regular attendants before. It is proposed to repeat the work again this fall.

The Central Alberta Lodge of Perfection has been unfortunate in their selection of senior officers. Last fall the Senior Grand Warden moved from the province and in due time the Junior Grand Warden was elected to be T. P. G. M. Now he has resigned on his departure for British Columbia. This places a very heavy burden on the officers, as their advancement is too rapid to allow them to become acquainted with their ritual and duties, especially when it is remembered that they have been members of the Rite only a very few years. We must give them credit for the great amount of work they are doing in preparing for their offices.

The Edmonton Bodies have been very fortunate under their usual enthusiastic and active officers. The regular attendance has been good, in fact the regular attendance is more satisfactory than the attendance at the Reunion meetings. There has been careful study into the cause of poor participation in the Reunion activities. The Degree work is well done and accommodation is adequate and comfortable, but the members do not attend. The banquet is very well attended and the ladies enjoy the program and dance.

It has been pleasing to note that affairs in Calgary have been very satisfactory and the activities greater and attendance slightly better than previously. It is proposed to repeat the Field day for the Lodge of Perfection next year. The membership committee did a remarkably fine job during the past year and their efforts are to be commended.

In Lethbridge we have a Lodge of Perfection and a Chapter Rose Croix. The officers and members are all very hard working and their efforts show good results. Very fine work in the degrees, together with a good spirit of hospitality and sociability, make this an outstanding group.

The youngest Lodge of Perfection at Medicine Hat is making progress in lodge activities, degree work, and numbers. They are overcoming great difficulties, but I am confident that they will go ahead.

I wish to pay tribute to our Honorary Inspectors-General. They are most helpful and willing on all occasions. Their spirit of fellowship is a great encouragement to our membership, not only in the lodge room but in the day by day activities. Ill.'.Bro.'.Harry E. Howard, 33°, Past Active, is most helpful in the work in Calgary, where he keeps his finger on the pulse of affairs and gives freely of his assistance. Ill.'.Bro.'.Roy W. Austin, 33°, Active, has been a tower of strength to the Calgary brethren, and a great help to me in the affairs of the Valley of Calgary. It is interesting to note that Walter Howard, 32°, son of Ill.'.Bro.'.Harry E. Howard, 33°, has just completed a very successful term as T.'.P.'. G.'.M.'..

It was a very great shock to receive three letters one after the other, in a short space of time, announcing the deaths of Ill.'.Bros.'. Dunlop, Wade and Pitts. These distinguished and well beloved Brethren had given much to further the cause of Scottish Rite Freemasonry in Canada. We revere their memory and deplore their loss.

I am very pleased to report that our loss by death this year was only 42, which is about average during the past few years. There was no decrease in our Honorary Inspectors-General. In our statistics appears the item of 19 brethren withdrawing from the Rite. I thought it would be interesting to get some information on why they withdrew, so have made inquiries of the secretaries as to what information they have about these members.

The Scottish Rite came to Alberta, October, 1905, starting in Edmonton. The Edmonton Bodies are planning a banquet and social evening this fall, to commemorate the 60th anniversary.

We are looking forward to a visit from our Sovereign Grand Commander later this year. At the present time it is anticipated he will attend the Alberta Consistory, October 27th to 30th, and visit other centres the following week.

The affairs of the Scottish Rite in Alberta are in capable hands. Degree work is jealously watched, so that no slovenly performances are permitted, and skilled workmen are employed. I am greatly disappointed with the lack of new candidates, but am satisfied that our members are making strenuous efforts to overcome this shortage. The work and condition of Scottish Rite Masonry in the province is very good.

STATISTICS

	1965	1964	Gain
Edmonton Lodge of Perfection	1072	1092	loss 20
Calgary Lodge of Perfection	752	721	31
Lethbridge Lodge of Perfection	263	269	loss 6
Central Alberta Lodge of Perfection	114	115	" 1
Medicine Hat Lodge of Perfection	84	78	6
	2285	2275	10

EASTER CEREMONIES

	Maundy Thursday	Easter Sunday
Mizpah Chapter, Edmonton	280	424
Calgary, Delta Chapter	216	179
Lethbridge, Chinook Chapter	112	78

VISITATIONS

October 28th, 1964, Alberta Consistory, Edmonton.

November 13th, 1964, Southalta Consistory Reunion, Calgary.

January 29th, 1965, Calgary Lodge of Perfection, Reunion and banquet.

March 10th to 12th, Edmonton Lodge of Perfection, Reunion and banquet.

March 20th, Central Alberta Lodge of Perfection, Renunion and banquet.

April 2nd, Edmonton Lodge of Perfection, installation.

April 19th, Southalta Consistory, installation, Calgary.

April 15th, Lethbridge Chinook Chapter, 18th degree and banquet.

June 1965, Grand Lodge of Alberta, Calgary.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,

W. A. HENRY, M.D., 33°,

Deputy for Alberta.

REPORT OF THE DEPUTY FOR SASKATCHEWAN

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of
Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:

Illustrious Brethren:

I beg to submit my report as Deputy on the State of the Rite for the Province of Saskatchewan for the year ending June 30th, 1965.

CONDITION OF THE RITE:

Throughout the year there has been evidence of general activity in all Bodies. I had hoped for greater gains in membership at this time but Provincially we are celebrating Saskatchewan Diamond Jubilee year with many Jubilee functions and each Valley has planned a Jubilee class Reunion in Perfection this fall and at the close of the year I am hopeful of further material gains. The quality of ritualistic work and spirit of loyalty and fellowship of the membership has maintained a satisfactory standard. It is to be noted our losses by death are annually increasing due to the age of our older members and this makes serious cuts in our membership figures. We have failed to take our Order to the outlying members of our Valleys which would help maintain their interest as well as create new interest. This question is being considered by all concerned.

Attendance is being maintained without an upward trend but the adoption of issuing a periodic Rite News by the Regina Valley which this Spring was distributed also by Moose Jaw and Saskatoon Perfection has met with many favourable reports from members near and far. This is still an experiment but has shown a need for the 80% - 90% of membership who do not attend their Lodge. This effort demands the aid of a few interested Brethren as news gatherers to be most helpful, together with the most economical means of production.

With the desire to develop team work and aid all Bodies in Saskatchewan, the Consistory has held two luncheon or dinner meetings with the senior Officers and Members of Supreme Council to discuss any problem of general interest in which assistance might be given. The first meeting was with the Officers of the Valley of Moose Jaw and it showed such prospects a second meeting was held at Davidson, to which the Officers of all Saskatchewan Bodies were invited and an informal discussion developed with help being suggested for many problems. The Consistory each Fall confers degrees 19 to 29 at Moose Jaw and Saskatoon with a degree conferred by the host Valley and helpful suggestions were received for greater support at each Valley.

Following a discussion of the possibility of a Provincial one day Workshop or Seminar there was general acceptance of the suggestion and unanimous support by all Bodies. Such a gathering to be under a worthy representative of Supreme Council who could advise how similar Bodies operate, and include many matters pertaining to the welfare of our Order including ritualistic work.

With the waiting period removed between degrees 14 and 15 and between 18 and 19 consideration was given to shortening the time required for the complete course. All Chapters adopt the policy of conferring the degrees on Maundy Thursday while the Consistory Reunion to receive the 32° is held in Regina in February. As an experiment the Chapters Officers agreed to jointly put on the degrees in January at Regina for the benefit of Brethren desiring to take Consistory Degrees in February. All Chapters will continue to confer degrees on Maundy Thursday for those Brethren desiring them.

With the Consistory Annual Reunion in February it has changed its date of election to the March meeting enabling the new officers to take over at the close of the year's activities.

In the interest of the Youth Movement many members are actively giving support to the Order of DeMolay. Brethren hold many advisory offices and are faithful supporters in the many activities in the larger centres.

NECROLOGY:

Our Order and its membership suffered a most severe shock and irreparable loss in the sudden passing of our three beloved, and esteemed Active Members in such a short space of time. Past Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commanders Thomas Kingsmill Wade, 33°, and Clarence MacLeod Pitts, 33°, and our Grand Marshal Hugh M. Dunlop, 33°. These beloved Illustrious Brethren were esteemed by all Scottish Rite Masons in Canada and many beyond our borders and especially by those who during the years were privileged to know them and work with them. In Saskatchewan we lost our oldest and one of our youngest Honorary Inspectors-General, Charles H. Crandon, 33°, and William Scott, 33°, both of Saskatoon, Brethren who for many years have been leaders in that Valley.

While mourning their passing we give thanks for having had them as Brethren and unite with their families and friends in their hour of grief.

VISITATIONS:

Official visits have been made to all Bodies and I have been ably assisted by Past Sovereign Grand Commander Douglas Fraser, 33°, and S.G.I.G., R. C. Hodsman, 33°, on many of these visits and on occasions Brother Hodsman has acted for me. On all occasions the local members of Supreme Council have joined with us giving their unstinted support.

HISTORIES:

Work is under way on all Saskatchewan Bodies histories. Moose Jaw were the first to complete their task covering Perfection and Chapter. In Saskatoon each Body has a Brother with the work well in hand and for the three Regina Bodies the work was completed years to 1930 and is being brought up to date by our Illustrious Brother Douglas Fraser, 33°.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS:

The Honorary Inspectors-General are a most co-operative friendly group always willing to serve and it is a pleasure to work with them throughout the Province. I am happy to record their loyal and generous help to all needing it.

I am indebted to several Canadian Valleys for conferring degrees on Saskatchewan Brethren upon request. Movement of our Brethren after being accepted has resulted in their receiving their degrees in Vancouver, Winnipeg, Hamilton and Ottawa for which I express sincere thanks on behalf of our Bodies and the Brethren concerned.

Sincere thanks are extended to Deputy W. A. Jones, 33°, of Kingston, and S.G.I.G., R. M. Stanton, 33°, of Ottawa for presenting the 50 Year Jewel to our Illustrious Brother A. A. Wilson, 32°, at Cornwall, Ontario.

To the respective Valley Officers I extend sincere thanks for the pleasure, kindness and many courtesies extended to me at all times. The help of the secretaries is deeply appreciated and I wish them well for the coming year.

To those at headquarters sincere thanks, they have been a tower of strength. In conclusion Illustrious Brother Douglas Fraser, 33° and Illustrious Brother R. C. Hodsman, 33°, join with me in extending sincere thanks to our Sovereign Grand Commander for his untiring efforts and accomplishments on our behalf throughout his initial year of office.

Sincerely and Fraternally,

D. A. R. McCANNEL, 33°,

Deputy of Saskatchewan.

**Sovereign Grand Commanders of this Supreme Council
since its establishment in 1874**

THOMAS DOUGLAS HARINGTON

Oct. 16, 1874, to Jan. 13, 1882
Died 13th January, 1882.

WILLIAM HENRY HUTTON

Jan. 13, 1882, to Oct. 21, 1886
Died 9th October, 1893.

JOHN VALENTINE ELLIS

Oct. 21, 1886, to Oct. 27, 1892
Died 10th July, 1913.

JOHN WALTER MURTON

Oct. 27, 1892, to Oct. 23, 1898
Died 23rd October, 1898.

ISAAC HENRY STEARNS

Oct. 26, 1898, to Oct. 27, 1904
Died 15th February, 1921.

SIR JOHN MORISON GIBSON

Oct. 27, 1904, to Oct. 23, 1913
Oct. 26, 1922, to Oct. 25, 1923
Died 3rd June, 1929.

BENJAMIN ALLEN

Oct. 23, 1913, to Oct. 23, 1919
Died 10th April, 1920.

JOHN ALEXANDER CAMERON

Oct. 23, 1919, to Oct. 26, 1922
Oct. 25, 1923, to Oct. 8, 1925
Died 16th Dec., 1931.

ALFRED FREDERICK WEBSTER

Oct. 8th, 1925, to Oct. 3rd, 1934
Died 7th May, 1938.

WILLIAM HUGH WARDROPE

Oct. 3rd, 1934, to Oct. 2nd, 1940
April 19th, 1942, to Oct. 7th, 1942.
Died 27th June, 1947.

JOHN ALBERT ROWLAND

Oct. 2nd, 1940, to April 18th, 1942
Died 18th April, 1942.

DOUGLAS GORDON MCILWRAITH

Oct. 7th, 1942, to Feb. 2nd, 1948
Died 2nd February, 1948.

GEORGE HENRY ROSS

Feb. 3rd, 1948, to Feb. 14th, 1950.
Died 14th February, 1950.

DOUGLAS FRASER

Feb. 15th, 1950, to Oct. 15th, 1952.

CLARENCE MACLEOD PITTS

Oct. 15th, 1952, to Sept. 21st, 1955.
Died April 10th, 1965

THOMAS KINGSMILL WADE

Sept. 21st, 1955 to Sept. 11, 1958.
Died January 20th, 1965

JAMES ALEXANDER SIMPSON

Sept. 11th, 1958 to Sept. 7th, 1961.
Died July 6th, 1963.

RICHARD COULTON BERKINSHAW

Sept. 7th, 1961 — Sept. 9th, 1964.

GEORGE CLEVELAND DERBY

Sept. 9th, 1964 —

SUPREME COUNCIL

Annual Sessions held at the following cities:

1874 — Ottawa	1917 — London
1875 — Montreal	1918 — Hamilton
1876 — "	1919 — Montreal
1877 — "	1920 — Hamilton
1878 — "	1921 — Ottawa
1879 — "	1922 — Montreal
(special in March at Hamilton)	1923 — Toronto (special at Hamilton)
1880 — Montreal	1924 — Vancouver
1881 — "	1925 — Montreal
1882 — "	1926 — Halifax
1883 — "	1927 — Hamilton
1884 — "	1928 — Montreal
1885 — Not held	1929 — Edmonton
(special in April at Saint John)	1930 — Toronto
1886 — Montreal	1931 — Montreal
(special in Nov. at Hamilton)	1932 — Saint John
1887 — Montreal	1933 — Ottawa
1888 — "	1934 — Montreal
1889 — "	1935 — Vancouver
1890 — Hamilton	1936 — London
1891 — Saint John	1937 — Montreal
1892 — Montreal	1938 — Halifax
1893 — "	1939 — Fort William
1894 — Toronto	1940 — Montreal
1895 — Montreal	1941 — Regina
1896 — Ottawa	1942 — Hamilton
1897 — Montreal	1943 — Montreal
1898 — "	1944 — Windsor
1899 — Saint John	1945 — Hamilton (93)
1900 — Toronto	1946 — Quebec (111) (67)
1901 — Montreal	1947 — Calgary (111) (73)
1902 — "	1948 — London (158) (100)
1903 — Toronto	1949 — Saint John (150) (101)
1904 — Montreal	1950 — Ottawa (189) (119)
1905 — Ottawa	1951 — Winnipeg (176) (118)
1906 — London	1952 — N. Falls (230) (146)
1907 — Montreal	1953 — Montreal (201) (147)
1908 — "	1954 — Toronto (243) (197)
1909 — Toronto	1955 — Vancouver (184) (146)
1910 — Montreal	1956 — Hamilton (244) (199)
1911 — Winnipeg	1957 — Halifax (200) (159)
1912 — Hamilton	1958 — Windsor (247) (199)
1913 — Montreal	1959 — Saskatoon (199) (143)
1914 — Toronto	1960 — Fort Wm. (220) (157)
1915 — Ottawa	1961 — St. Andrews (205) (159)
1916 — Montreal	1962 — London (291) (230)
	1963 — Edmonton (242) (177)
	1964 — Ottawa (289) (245)
	1965 — Montreal (264) (204)

The figures in brackets indicate the attendance of Brethren and their ladies.

SUPREME COUNCIL 33°

for the

DOMINION OF CANADA

GRAND ORIENT, HAMILTON, PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

OFFICERS

GEORGE C. DERBY 33°	M.'.P.'.Sov.'.Grand Commander
CHARLES H. CUNNINGHAM 33°	P.'.Lieut.'.Grand Commander
JAMES McL. MARSHALL 33°	Ill.'.Grand Chancellor
HERBERT B. JACKSON 33°	} Ill.'.Deputies for Ontario
WILLIAM A. JONES 33°	
DONALD L. WITTER 33°	Ill.'.Deputy for Quebec
KENNETH R. NELSON 33°	Ill.'.Deputy for New Brunswick
T. M. SIENIEWICZ 33°	Ill.'.Deputy for Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island and Newfoundland
GEORGE A. WILSON 33°	Ill.'.Deputy for Manitoba
DAVID M. TAYLOR 33°	Ill.'.Deputy for British Columbia
WILLIAM A. HENRY 33°	Ill.'.Deputy for Alberta
D. A. ROY McCANNEL 33°	Ill.'.Deputy for Saskatchewan
WILBERT G. WELBY 33°	Ill.'.Grand Secretary-General, H.'.E.'.
DONALD M. FLEMING 33°	Ill.'.Grand Treasurer-General, H.'.E.'.
WILLIAM L. WRIGHT 33°	Ill.'.Grand Prior
FREDERIC J. VEALE 33°	Ill.'.Grand Master of Ceremonies
WALTER C. McDONALD 33°	Ill.'.Grand Marshal
CHARLES J. BOYLE 33°	Ill.'.Grand Standard Bearer
ROBERT M. STANTON 33°	Ill.'.Grand Captain of the Guard

PAST SOVEREIGN GRAND COMMANDERS

DOUGLAS FRASER 33°	R. COULTON BERKINSHAW 33°
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RALPH H. RUTHERFORD 33° (*Hon.*) Ill.'.Asst. Grand Secretary-General

PAST SOVEREIGN GRAND COMMANDERS

Douglas Fraser, B.A., (Oxon.), Q.C., 93 Leopold Crescent, Regina, Sask.	Res. LA 2-5760 Oct. 6, 1931.....	Oct. 2, 1940
Richard Coulton Berkinshaw, C.B.E., B.A., LL.D., Suite 201, 901 Yonge Street, Toronto 5, Ontario	Res. WA 5-1544 Oct. 6, 1942.....	Bus. 923-6515 Oct. 6, 1948

SOVEREIGN GRAND INSPECTORS-GENERAL, 33°

	Date of 33rd Degree	Date of Active Membership
Howard Brown Moore, 1201 Avenue Road, Toronto 12, Ontario	Res. HU 5-4629 Oct. 2, 1934.....	Oct. 7, 1942
G. Fred Kingsmill, M.B.E., B.S.A., 360 Sarnia Gravel Rd., London, Ontario	Res. 471-2348 Sept. 12, 1939.....	Bus. 432-7111 Oct. 6, 1943
Charles Herbert Cunningham, C.E., B.A.Sc., 557 Huron Drive, Burlington, Ontario	Res. NE 4-4687 Oct. 1, 1940.....	Oct. 2, 1946
George Cleveland Derby, O.B.E., B.A., 2123 West 37th Ave., Vancouver 13, B.C.	Res. AM 6-6770 Oct. 5, 1937.....	Bus. 879-5755 Oct. 4, 1950
Donald Alexander Roy McCannel, B.Sc., 2708 Quinn Drive, Regina, Sask.	Res. LA 2-3437 Oct. 1, 1946.....	Sept. 16, 1953
William Addison Henry, B.A., M.D., C.M., Lacombe, Alberta	Res. 782-3027 Oct. 14, 1952.....	Sept. 16, 1953
James McLean Marshall, 50 Hudson Ave., Apt. 201 Mount Royal, Montreal 16, Que.	Res. RE 8-5588 Sept. 9, 1947.....	Bus. WE 3-6739 Oct. 6, 1954
Archbishop William Lockridge Wright, D.D., D.C.L., 134 Simpson Street, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.	Res. AL 6-2560 Oct. 14, 1952.....	Bus. AL 6-5061 Sept. 10, 1958
Herbert Busby Jackson, 4 Queen St. South, Hamilton, Ont.	Res. FU 3-8289 Oct. 3, 1950.....	Bus. JA 7-5453 Sept. 9, 1959

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	Date of 33rd Degree	Date of Active Membership
William Alfred Jones, O.B.E., V.D., C.D., M.D., F.R.C.P. (C), F.F.R., F. A. C. R. 251 University Ave., Kingston, Ont.	Res. LI 6-5621 Oct. 5, 1954.....	Bus. LI 2-2791 Sept. 9, 1959
Walter Hodgins Gibson, 280 Broadway St., Tillsonburg, Ont.	Res. 842-3114 Sept. 20, 1955.....	Sept. 9, 1959
George Allan Wilson, 352 Main Street, Winnipeg, Man.	Res. 489-4987 Sept. 11, 1956.....	Bus. 942-5168 Sept. 9, 1959
Walter Clifton McDonald, B.A., Roland, Manitoba	Res. 100 Sept. 20, 1955.....	Bus. 53 Sept. 14, 1960
Robert Moore Stanton, 1445 Tedder Avenue, Ottawa 8, Ontario	Res. 733-2613 Oct. 5, 1943.....	Sept. 6, 1961
Wilbert George Welby, Q.C., 152 George Street, Hamilton, Ontario	Res. 522-3763 Oct. 3, 1950.....	Bus. JA 2-3585 Sept. 6, 1961
Donald Lloyd Witter, 4568 Oxford Ave., Montreal 28, Que.	Res. HU 9-6044 Sept. 15, 1953.....	Sept. 6, 1961
Thaddeus Mark Sieniewicz, M.D., F.R.C.P. (C), 1803 Armview Terrace, Halifax, Nova Scotia	Res. 423-0820 Oct. 5, 1954.....	Bus. 423-6655 Sept. 6, 1961
Arthur Lawrence Scace, Q.C., 294 Lytton Blvd., Toronto, Ontario	Res. HU 9-0744 Sept. 11, 1956.....	Bus. 924-7487 Sept. 6, 1961
Kenneth Roberts Nelson, 60 Pitt Street, Saint John, N.B.	Res. 3-8734 Sept. 10, 1957.....	Bus. 3-2269 Sept. 6, 1961
Charles Joseph Boyle, 1434 Isabella Street, Fort William, Ontario	Res. MA 3-8720 Sept. 15, 1953.....	Sept. 11, 1963
Frederick Edward Belsham, 1515 Randor Drive, Clarkson, Ontario	Res. 822-9076 Sept. 11, 1956.....	Bus. EM 3-3088 Sept. 11, 1963
Henry Arthur Vallieres, 153 Vivian Ave., Montreal 16, Que.	Res. RE 7-2969 Sept. 10, 1957.....	Bus. VI 5-0683 Sept. 11, 1963

PROCEEDINGS OF THE

	Date of 33rd Degree	Date of Active Membership
Reginald Clifford Hodsman, C.A., 3140 Robinson Street, Regina, Sask.	Res. LA 2-7372 Sept. 9, 1958.....	Bus. LA 3-3522 Sept. 11, 1963
Donald Methuen Fleming, B.A., L.L.B., Q.C., 24th Floor, 25 King St. West., Toronto 1, Ontario	Res. 444-5197 Oct. 5, 1954.....	Bus. 362-2868 Sept. 8, 1964
John Herbert Forbes, 24 Binkley Crescent, Hamilton, Ontario	Res. JA 2-7880 Sept. 10, 1957.....	Bus. JA 7-4211 Sept. 8, 1964
Roy Woodrow Austin, 4215 Brittannia Drive, Calgary, Alberta	Res. 243-1538 Sept. 9, 1958.....	Bus. 243-4246 Sept. 8, 1964
Frederic James Veale, B.Sc., 179 George Street, Hamilton, Ontario	Res. 528-4608 Sept. 9, 1958.....	Bus. JA 7-0241 Sept. 8, 1964
George Barlow Ingraham, 126 Beacon Street, East Saint John, N.B.	Res. 693-9334 Sept. 20, 1955.....	Bus. 657-1860 Sept. 15, 1965
James Palmer Kent, Q.C., 279 Glengrove Ave. W. Toronto 12, Ontario	Res. 489-2240 Sept. 10, 1957.....	Sept. 15, 1965
George Stanley Rogers, B.Sc., 78 Bond Street South, Hamilton, Ontario	Res. 527-8674 Sept. 13, 1960.....	Sept. 15, 1965
Harvey Roy Doane, C.A., 967 Ritchie Drive, Halifax, Nova Scotia	Res. 423-3673 Oct. 2, 1962.....	Bus. 423-6267 Sept. 15, 1965
David Monteith Taylor, 571 Esquimalt Ave., West Vancouver, B.C.	Res. 922-0498 Sept. 8, 1964.....	Bus. TR 2-7146 Sept. 15, 1965

PAST ACTIVE MEMBERS

	Date of 33rd Degree	Date of Active Membership
Reginald Vanderbilt Harris, M.A., D.C.L., Q.C., P.O. Box 214, Halifax, Nova Scotia	Oct. 4, 1932.....	Oct. 6, 1954
Alexander George Storie, 447 Simcoe St. North, Oshawa, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1934.....	Oct. 4, 1950

- Arthur Cross, C.A.,
 3956 Cote des Neiges, Apt. 1, Res. VI 4-3864 Bus. UN 6-3125
 Montreal 25, Que. Oct. 6, 1936.....Oct. 6, 1943
- Albert Edward Fowles,
 491 Jerusalem Road, EX. 3-1144
 Cohasset, Mass. Oct. 3, 1950.....Sept. 18, 1956
- Carroll Nelson Simpson, B.A.Sc.,
 205 Carling Avenue,
 Ottawa, Ontario Sept. 13, 1949.....Sept. 17, 1953
- Harry Eastwood Howard, F.C.A.,
 2423 Morrison Street, Res. CH 4-1972
 Calgary, Alta. Sept. 11, 1951.....Sept. 10, 1958
- Bernard Veysey Atkinson,
 4555 Grandi Boulevard, Apt. 10,
 Montreal 28, Que. Sept. 11, 1951.....Sept. ,9 1959
- Clyde Sinclair Clancy,
 1125 Studley Ave., Res. 422-3241 Bus. 423-8321
 Halifax, Nova Scotia Oct. 5, 1954.....Sept. 10, 1958
- Ernest Macaulay Dillon, Q.C.,
 111 Richmond St. W., Res. 277-0813 Bus. 368-3061
 Toronto 1, Ont. Oct. 1, 1945.....Sept. 9, 1959
- Robert Alexander Burnie Wootton, Q.C.,
 1255 Victoria Street, Res. EV 3-9135 Bus. EV 2-6111
 Victoria, B.C. Oct. 14, 1952.....Sept. 12, 1957
- Reginald Francis Wright,
 Box 1212, Res. OX 3-5171 Bus. OX 2-1528
 Saint John, N.B. Oct. 4, 1932.....Oct. 8, 1941

**ALPHABETICAL LIST OF HONORARY MEMBERS
BY PROVINCES**

ALBERTA (38)

Aberdeen, Thomas Gordon
Bailey, James
Booth, John
Brown, Bernie
Christie, Ryerson Meyers
Clarke, Robert Dickson
Cormick, Cyril
Cox, George Thomas
Empey, Waldo Ford
Gardiner, John Murray
Harris, Samuel
Heckbert, Sydney Carlos
Hurlburt, Heman Stanley
Jackson, William Haine
Kavanagh, Frederick James
Lewin, Reginald George
Little, David
Lloy, Murray Bloice
Lord, Goldwin Smith

MacLean, Hector Robertson
Macleod, Charles Malcolm
McKay, Alfred Edward
McQueen, Donald Delmar
Miller, Frederick Gus
Mitchell, Ernest Harold
Paterson, Frank Walker
Pattison, Wesley Wintersteen
Peel, William Melville
Porter, Marshall Menzies
Pyle, Francis John
Reid, Horace Philip
Rivers, Edward Hewitt
Robinson, Ben Lowrie
Sheppard, Ross Stanley
Simpson, Cornelius Claremont
Skene, George Wilbert
Smith, Oliver Colville
Sterling, George Randolph

BRITISH COLUMBIA (34)

Barr, Matthew Lyle
Brotherton, Charles Edward
Caldwell, William Harvey
Cassady, George Livingstone
Clark, John Tom
Cottrell, Herbert Thomas
Crawford, James Arthur
Curran, William Alexander
Eastwood, William Alexander
Fleming, Stuart Archibald
Geissinger, Max Edwin
Gilroy, Alan James
Harrison, Harry Douglas
Johnson, Robert Henry
Lefevre, Bernard Edward
MacKinnon, George Ernest Lawson
MacLean, Nigel Malcolm

McDougall, Elwin George
McGugan, Donald
Merrett, Edwin Alastair
Megaw, William Earle
Moffitt, John St. Clair Crymble
Morgan, John Hanna Nicholls
Owen, Walter Stewart
Rutter, Henry Percival
Sangster, Frederick
Shepherd, Kenneth Stirling Nelson
Stephen, John Forest
Stewart, John Rupert
Tyre, William
Walker, Walter Mitchell
Wallis, George Thomas
Woodhouse, Walter Leonard
Wright, William Lewis

MANITOBA (25)

Adams, Alexander
Bingeman, Milton Hallman
Campbell, Alexander
Courtice, Frederick Clayton
Cowan, Andrew George
Donovan, Maurice Stanton
Graham, William Paul
Guest, Spencer Cox
Hall, Norman MacLeod
Hammonds, Philip
Jex, Robert Lewis
Kay, Oscar Francisco
Lamont, Francis Graham

MacDonald, Angus Albert
Mackie, William Alexander
Martin, William George
McKinlay, James Duncan
McKnight, William Allen
Parker, Benjamin Stuart
Prugh, William Albert
Reid, James Robert
Ritchie, Albert Edward
Sanger, John William
Tennant, Ernest Robert
Wood, William Arthur

NEW BRUNSWICK (17)

Blakney, George Albert
Britton, Harry Earle
Davidson, Victor David
Dickison, Charles Daniel
Hoyt, James Stanley
Lemmon, Albert Colburn
Maxwell, Warren James
McIlveen, Charles Addy
Merryweather, Roy William

Morrison, Luke Stewart
Pearson, Ralph Titus
Pickard, Harold Hastings
Robinson, Arthur Sagar
Saunders, James Alexander
Skidmore, Bent Luke
Somerville, Donald Andrew
Sullivan, Herman Eagles

NOVA SCOTIA AND PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND (24)

Avard, Norman Thompson
Chappell, Melbourne Russell
Crease, Archibald
Creighton, John James
Dawson, Thomas Arthur
Dickey, Horace Blair
Ellis, Reginald Evans
Gardner, Melbourne Morton
Horton, Delmar Francis
Macgillivray, Henry Darroch
MacKay, Alexander Murray
MacMillan, Alexander Herman

Meek, Terry Leonard
Moore, John Alexander Campbell
O'Neil, David Arthur
Rankin, Robert James
Ryder, Walter Earl
Smith, Kenneth Sanford
Standish, Harry Mildenhall
Van Iderstine, Frank Albert
Vincent, Earl Johnstone
Wilkes, Ernest Charles
Wood, Reginald William
Wood, Thomas Andrew

QUEBEC (17)

Barrie, Gordon Murray
 Buckland, Joseph Wellington
 Crothers, Loring William Foreman
 Davis, Harry Norman
 Hastie, John Edward
 Hobbs, William Henry
 Hodge, Stuart Lawrence
 Hoover, Edward Philip
 Hurry, Alexander

Mackenzie, Francis Scott
 Martin, Lionel Cecil
 Milborne, Alfred John Bidder
 Retallack, Garnet Shuter Lane
 Robb, Lionel James
 Simpson, Guy Francis
 Thompson, John Trevor
 Worwood, William

SASKATCHEWAN (32)

Biggart, Archibald Hugh
 Burt, James Edgar
 Campkin, Wilbert Lee
 Carrothers, Ashton Dewart Cecil
 Ferguson, Gordon Alexander
 Gass, James Alden
 Graham, Dugald Johnston
 Gusa, William Herman
 Hanbidge, Robert Leith
 Harper, Thomas Gordon
 Holmes, Leroy
 Irving, Alexander Jones
 MacKenzie, John Alexander
 Maxwell, Hilliard Scott
 McIntosh, Alexander Lindsay
 McKeown, Franklin Elbert

Moffet, Thomas Henry
 Oliver, William James
 Peacock, Albert Everett
 Phillips, Edward Kent
 Robertson, Victor Lawrence
 Rogers, John Tregloan
 Routledge, Archie Wilson
 Rutherford, Franklin Adelbert
 Rutherford, Henry Adelbert
 Scott, Walter Barrett
 Schmitt, Cecil Gilbert
 Smith, Clair Henry
 Smith, Norman Sydney
 Thornton, Louis Augustus
 Waller, Granville
 Woods, Adna Clifton

ONTARIO (297)

Allan, James Noble
 Allen, Harry J.
 Allison, Cyrus James
 Anderson, Clarence Stewart
 Andrews, Cuthbert William
 Armstrong, Henry William
 Auld, Clarence Armstrong
 Ayerst, Charles Frederick
 Bailey, Cecil Addison
 Ballantyne, Charles James Ripley
 Ballstadt, Herman Albert F.
 Baptie, Harry Alexander
 Bartrum, Frank Hubert

Batsford, Herbert Alfred
 Bauer, Herman William
 Baxter, Archibald Neil
 Bell, Clarence Bruce
 Bell, John Wallace
 Bennetto, Frederick Royden
 Bishop, Leonard Francis
 Blackburn, William Arthur
 Blair, Willard Gibson
 Blake, George Ernest
 Bobier, Shirley Trivitt
 Bothwell, Douglas Earle
 Boyd, Charles Stanley

Bradley, James Wesley
Bregman, Pieter
Brisco, Ernst Clayton
Brisco, Fredrick Benjamin
Britton, George Tyte
Broadbent, James Travice
Brown, Cecil Roy
Brown, James Ubert
Browne, Carl Sanford
Buchanan, Allan Jordan
Bunker, William Gordon
Burbridge, Norman Edgar
Burch, Charles George
Burke, George Henry
Burleigh, Harold Arthur
Burnett, John Maver
Burns, Matthew Henry
Burrows, Earle Stanley
Byrne, Norman Warriner
Cairney, Hugh Moir
Call, Ernest Jones
Campbell, Casius Elmer
Campbell, James Frederick
Cannon, William Burrell
Carlisle, Gordon Douglas
Carson, William John
Carveth, Walter Alva
Cass, Frederick McIntosh
Casselman, Arthur Allan
Caudwell, Norman Stuart
Chandler, Francis Gordon
Chapman, Arthur Vance
Chittick, Charles Leslie
Conger, Karl Bidwell
Conover, Reginald VanEvery
Cooke, Hugh George
Coombs, Archdale Stephenson
Copp, Leo Wilberforce
Cornell, George Erle
Couper, Harry
Crandall, Roy Carleton
Crawford, Elliott Cedric Alvin
Crouch, Stanley Stuart
Cuddie, John Harold
Curry, Frederick Crawford

Curry, Ronald James
Daly, Ellwood Hodd McMurchy
Darker, Frederick Murray
Dewart, John Alexander
Dixon, Ewart Gladstone
Dobbin, Ross Leonard
Dobson, Herbert Victor
Donald, Charles Davidson
Donnelly, Thomas John
Downey, David Frederick Roscoe
Dunlop, Wilson Earl
Dye, Harold Robert Emberson
Eaid, Charles Roy
Easton, Beverly Everitt
Ellison, Frederick J.
Ellison, Rufus William
Emery, George James
Evans, George Thomas
Evans, Joseph Austin
Eydt, John Henry
Felt, Albert Howard
Fenn, Leonard Ernest
Ferguson, John Campbell
Ferguson, William Lauder
Finnie, Arthur Boyd
FitzGerald, Godfrey Martin
Flath, Everon
Foster, Bruce Brown
Fry, Christopher McMath
Gardner, Edwin Alexander
George, James Trevethan
Gordon, Willard Meredith
Graham, Arthur Russell
Graham, Samuel Jethro
Graham, William David
Green, George Thomas
Gregory, Frederick William
Griffin, Kenneth William
Grinyer, George Frederick
Gunn, Donald Jamieson
Hall, William Alexander Carlyle
Hamilton, Thomas David Clark
Haskett, Wesley Irwin
Haviland, Arthur Richard
Hearn, Joseph Alonzo

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| Heasley, Hugh James | MacGregor, Arthur Emerson |
| Henderson, Frederick Lewis | MacKay, Kenneth |
| Hicks, Edmund John | MacKewn, Charles Frederick |
| Higginbottom, Charles Edward | MacLeod, George Alexander |
| Hill, Cecil James | Martin, Charles Frederick |
| Hill, James Dight | Martin, Cyril Comfort |
| Hinton, Albert | Martin, George Alexander |
| Homuth, Frederick Ferdinand | Martyn, Harry Laishley |
| Hooper, Mortimer Cleeve | Matheson, Alexander MacKenzie |
| Hope, Robert Henry | Mayberry, Thomas Melville |
| Horswill, Ernest Arthur | McCormack, Wm. John Angus |
| Hurdman, Albert Frederick | McCulloch, Harvey Frank |
| Innis, Robert Thompson Livingstone | McCutcheon, Malcolm Wallace |
| Irvine, John Alfred | McDonald, John |
| Jacob, George Edwin Adolph | McFadden, Robert William Ernest |
| James, Lewis Bayliss | McFadgen, Vernon Alexander |
| Jannison, Percival Stanley | McFarlane, Alfred Irwin |
| Jessup, Ray Rusk | McInnis, Dougald Alexander |
| Jevons, Henry Sydney | McIntosh, Charles Roy |
| Johnston, Agnew Herbert | McIntyre, Duncan |
| Johnston, Thomas Lockhart | McKee, Alexander Hamilton |
| Johnston, William | McMulkin, John Edward |
| Johnston, William Donald | McNaughton, Burton Malcolm |
| Kelly, Gordon Carlos | McQuarrie, Austin Milton |
| Kennedy, Duncan Roy | McQueen, George James |
| Kennedy, William Alexander | Melvin, John Patrick |
| Kent, John Hubert | Meldrum, William Ellis |
| Kidd, James Harold | Miller, David James |
| Kidd, Thomas Ashmore | Mills, Allan Morris |
| King, Richard Wallis | Minchinton, Harry |
| Kingsmill, Thomas Frederick | Mitchell, Frederick John |
| Kinsman, Walter Ralph | Moffatt, John Melvin |
| Kipp, William Harry | Montgomery, David Robert |
| Knox, Stewart Irwin | Moore, John Henry |
| Lamble, Burnett Charles | Moors, Clarence Herbert |
| Landell, Charles Dalhousie | Morley, Wilfrid Eades |
| Lang, Robert Howard | Mortlock, Walter Henry |
| Langley, Edward James | Muir, William David |
| Lees, Thomas Jack | Murray, Alexander Clark |
| Linklater, George Harvey | Neilson, Charles Shibley |
| Lishman, Birkett | Newman, William Frederick |
| Little, Oliver John | Newport, George Alexander |
| Lord, Richard John | Orr, Robinson T. |
| Lunn, Allen James | Overend, Walter Trevor |
| Macdonald, George Alexander | |

Ozburn, Reginald Howorth
 Palmer, Alfred Thomas Merton
 Parkinson, Harry Simcoe
 Parrott, John Ross
 Patterson, Bryson Clark
 Pinnell, Charles Edward
 Porteous, Rae Ronald
 Price, Boulton Hume
 Purvis, Maxwell Cline
 Quackenbush, George Moss
 Rae, Kenneth McBeth
 Rath, William Henry
 Reany, George James Alexander
 Regan, Daniel
 Reid, John Charles
 Reynolds, Roy Sidney
 Rice, Thomas Alexander
 Richards, Norval Richard
 Riddell, John Ewen
 Robertson, Donald Stuart
 Robertson, Norman Roy
 Robinson, Kenneth Moore
 Ross, Charles John Frederick
 Ross, Robert Alexander
 Ross, Thomas Robert
 Rudell, Matthew John
 Rutherford, Ralph Hamilton
 Ryckman, Maxwell Bedford
 Ryerson, George Herbert
 Sainsbury, John Bevitt
 Sanderson, Horrell
 Sanderson, Thomas
 Sankey, Charles Alfred
 Scott, Ross
 Scrivens, William Howard
 Seythes, John Ardagh
 Seymour, Richard Bertram
 Shannon, Frank Defyncham
 Shepherd, Edward Charles
 Shiach, Harold Alexander
 Simpson, Thomas Hamilton
 Sinclair, Peter Alexander
 Sinfield, Harry Beardsmore
 Slater, Thomas Douglas

Smallman, Frank
 Smith, Harold Clifton
 Smith, Kenneth Roland
 Smith, Raymond Hamilton
 Smith, Samuel Stanley
 Smith, Warren LaVerne
 Sootheran, Henry Clare
 Stabler, William Stanley
 Stackhouse, John Elwood
 Stephens, George James Russell
 Stewart, James Leslie
 Strachan, Cecil Leslie
 Strachan, William James
 Strong, William George
 Sudden, Stanley Clifford
 Sulman, Charles Douglas
 Swann, Leslie Warren
 Taylor, William John Lorne
 Thurlow, Albert Edward
 Tichborne, Thomas Grover C.
 Till, Phillips MacKay
 Toswell, Frank William
 Totten, Theodore William
 Trebell, James Vivian
 Treleaven, Russell Williams
 Trenouth, Harold Vance
 Turner, George Edward
 Ullman, Frank Lonsdale
 Urquhart, Norman Currie
 Vandrick, Joseph Frederick
 Vaughan, Orval Douglas
 Walker, Orton Todd
 Walsh, Stanley Young
 Waterhouse, John
 Weakley, Nelson Egbert
 Wellington, Howard Russell
 Wheable, Geoffrey Alfred
 Whitney, Gordon John
 Whytock, Arthur Beaton
 Wight, Cecil Douglas
 Wilkinson, Frederick Hugh
 Williams, Frank Smith
 Williams, John Bernard
 Wilson, Thomas Llewelyn

Winters, James Sidney
Wooster, William Thomas

Wright, Charles Porter
Wright, James Ewart

HONORARY MEMBERS AT LARGE

At Large By Virtue of Article 16 (12)

Broderick, Christopher John
Brown, Edward Howard
Coleman, Arthur Edmund
Ewart, McLaren
Fingarson, Leonard Earl
Harper, William Henderson

Johnston, Harold Edward
Moffat, Lindsay Clifton
Parker, Elbridge Doty
Sanderson, David Gordon Percy
Savage, Vivian Hewton Albert
Scott, Harold Bruce

At Large By Virtue of Article 17 (5)

Diefenbaker, John George
Frost, Leslie Miscampbell
Lovink, Antonius Hermanus Johannes

Martin, William Melville
Paterson, Norman McLeod

HONORARY INSPECTORS-GENERAL, 33°

Name	Residence	Received 33°
Alexander Hamilton McKee, B.A.	Ottawa, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1924
Robinson T. Orr	London, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1924
Horace Philip Reid	Edmonton, Alta.	Oct. 1, 1924
Joseph Austin Evans, M.D.	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1925
Frederick Royden Bennetto, M.D.	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1925
Hon. William Melville Martin, B.A., LL.D., Q.C.	Regina, Sask.	Oct. 2, 1928
Elliott Cedric Alvin Crawford, M.D., C.M.	Madoc, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1929
McLaren Ewart, B.Sc.	Medicine Hat, Alta. ..	Oct. 6, 1931
Karl Bidwell Conger.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1934
William Henry Rath.....	London, Ont.	Oct. 6, 1936
Arthur Beaton Whytock, B.A., M.D., M.R.C.S. (Eng.), F.A.C.S.	Niagara Falls, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1937
John Ewen Riddell.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 4, 1938
Alexander Hurry	Westmount, Que.	Sept. 12, 1939
Andrew George Cowan.....	Winnipeg, Man.	Sept. 12, 1939
William Melville Peel.....	Calgary, Alta.	Sept. 12, 1939
Arthur Russell Graham.....	Niagara Falls, Ont. ..	Oct. 1, 1940
George Livingstone Cassady, Q.C.	New Westminster	Oct. 7, 1941
George James Russell Stephens.....	Guelph, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1941
Harry Minchinton	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1941
Harold Edward Johnston, D.D.S.	Calgary, Alta.	Oct. 7, 1941
Walter Barrett Scott, B.A., Q.C.	Regina, Sask.	Oct. 7, 1941
John Harold Cuddie.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 6, 1942
Henry Adelbert Rutherford, Q.C.	Regina, Sask.	Oct. 5, 1943
Luke Stewart Morrison	Fredericton, N.B.	Oct. 5, 1943
Stanley Stuart Crouch, D.D.S.	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1943
Harry J. Allen	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1943
James Harold Kidd.....	Burritt's Rapids, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1944
Charles Douglas Sulman.....	Chatham, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1944
Frederick Lewis Henderson, V.D.	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1944
George Ernest Lawson MacKinnon, M.D.	Cranbrook, B.C.	Oct. 3, 1944
Alexander Jones Irving	Saskatoon, Sask.	Oct. 3, 1944
Christopher John Broderick.....	Portland, Ore.	Oct. 3, 1944
David Frederick Roscoe Downey, B.A., B.Paed.	Peterborough, Ont. ..	Oct. 1, 1945
Charles George Burch	St. Catharines, Ont. ..	Oct. 1, 1945
Charles Edward Higginbottom, F.C.I.S.	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1945
Robert Howard Lang	Ottawa, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1945
George Thomas Green.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1945
Roy Carleton Crandall.....	Tillsonburg, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1945
William Henry Hobbs.....	Montreal, Que.	Oct. 1, 1945

Name	Residence	Received 33°
James Stanley Hoyt.....	Saint John, N.B.	Oct. 1, 1945
George Tyte Britton.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1946
John Henry Moore.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1946
Robert William Ernest McFadden, M.A., B.Sc., B.Paed.	Brantford, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1946
Charles Alfred Sankey, M.Sc., Ph.D.	St. Catharines, Ont. ..	Oct. 1, 1946
Norman Roy Robertson, B.A.Sc., Q.C.	Walkerton, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1946
James Vivian Trebell.....	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1946
James Duncan McKinlay.....	Winnipeg, Man.	Oct. 1, 1946
George Alexander Macdonald.....	Peterborough, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1946
David Gordon Percy Sanderson.....	Victoria, B.C.	Oct. 1, 1946
Thomas Henry Moffet, C.A.	Regina, Sask.	Oct. 1 1946
Elbridge Doty Parker, M.A.	Victoria, B.C.	Sept. 9, 1947
William Earle Megaw	Vernon, B.C.	Sept. 9, 1947
Charles Roy Eaid, Phm.B.	S. Ste. Marie, Ont	Sept. 9, 1947
John Charles Reid.....	Windsor, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1947
Ernest Jones Call.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1947
John Hubert Kent.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1947
Charles Dalhousie Landell.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1947
George Alexander Martin.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1947
Thomas Ashmore Kidd.....	Kingston, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1947
William James Strachan.....	Fort William, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1947
Alexander Lindsay McIntosh.....	Moose Jaw, Sask.	Sept. 9, 1947
Leroy Holmes.....	Saskatoon, Sask.	Sept. 9, 1947
Rev. Arthur Edmund Coleman.....	Quebec, Que.	Sept. 9, 1947
Cyrus James Allison.....	Barrie, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1948
Wilson Earl Dunlop.....	Dundas, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1948
Norman Currie Urquhart, C.B.E.	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1948
Staney Young Walsh, M.D.	Peterborough, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1948
Albert Colburn Lemmon.....	Saint John, N.B.	Oct. 5, 1948
Archibald Crease.....	Halifax, N.S.	Oct. 5, 1948
Archdeacon Walter Earl Ryder.....	Dartmouth, N.S.	Oct. 5, 1948
William Alexander Mackie.....	Winnipeg, Man.	Oct. 5, 1948
George Wilbert Skene, B.A., Q.C.	Calgary, Alta.	Oct. 5, 1948
Ashton Dewart Cecil Carrothers, Q.C.	Regina, Sask.	Oct. 5, 1948
Shirley Trivitt Bobier.....	Guelph, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1949
William Gordon Bunker.....	Oshawa, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1949
Charles Leslie Chittick.....	Barrie, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1949
Reginald VanEvery Conover.....	Brampton, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1949
William Harry Kipp.....	London, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1949
Arthur Emerson MacGregor, B.A.Sc.	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1949
William Frederick Newman.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1949
Matthew John Rudell, D.D.S.	Guelph, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1949
Guy Francis Simpson, B.A.	Quebec, Que.	Sept. 13, 1949

Name	Residence	Received 33°
Earl Johnstone Vincent.....	Halifax, N.S.	Sept. 13, 1949
Walter Mitchell Walker.....	Victoria, B.C.	Sept. 13, 1949
Waldo Ford Empey.....	Edmonton, Alta.	Sept. 13, 1949
Clarence Armstrong Auld.....	Fort William, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1950
Carl Stanford Browne.....	Peterborough, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1950
Cecil James Hill.....	London, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1950
Albert Frederick Hurdman.....	Mattawa, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1950
Ray Rusk Jessup.....	Sudbury, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1950
William Alexander Kennedy.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1950
Clarence Herbert Moors.....	Fort William, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1950
Bryson Clark Patterson, M.D.	Ottawa, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1950
Thomas Hamilton Simpson, B.A., Q.C.	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1950
Cecil Douglas Wight.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1950
Norman Thompson Avard, B.A., LL.D. ..	Amherst, N.S.	Oct. 3, 1950
Norman Macleod Hall, O.B.E., B.Sc.	Winnipeg, Man.	Oct. 3, 1950
John William Sanger, LL.D.	Winnipeg, Man.	Oct. 3, 1950
Oliver Colville Smith.....	Calgary, Alta.	Oct. 3, 1950
Cecil Gilbert Schmitt, LL.B., Q.C.	Saskatoon, Sask.	Oct. 3, 1950
James Travice Broadbent.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1951
George Henry Burke.....	Fergus, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1951
Matthew Henry Burns.....	London, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1951
Frederick Murray Darker.....	Niagara Falls, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1951
Percival Stanley Jannison.....	S. Ste. Marie, Ont. ..	Sept. 11, 1951
Harry Laishley Martyn, B.A., B.Paed. ..	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1951
John Ardagh Scythes.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1951
Leslie Warren Swann.....	Windsor, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1951
Alexander Murray MacKay.....	Halifax, N.S.	Sept. 11, 1951
William Paul Graham.....	Winnipeg, Man.	Sept. 11, 1951
James Robert Reid, B.A.	Brandon, Man.	Sept. 11, 1951
Frederick James Kavanagh.....	Edmonton, Alta.	Sept. 11, 1951
Albert Everett Peacock, B.Sc., B.Paed. ..	Moose Jaw, Sask.	Sept. 11, 1951
Louis Augustus Thornton, B.A., B.Sc.	Regina, Sask.	Sept. 11, 1951
Herbert Alfred Batsford.....	Sturgeon Falls, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
Clarence Bruce Bell, B.A.	Ottawa, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
Milton Hallman Bingeman.....	Winnipeg, Man.	Oct. 14, 1952
John Booth	Edmonton, Alta.	Oct. 14, 1952
Ernst Clayton Brisco.....	Chatham, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
Casius Elmer Campbell.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
Harry Norman Davis.....	Montreal, Que.	Oct. 14, 1952
Ewart Gladstone Dixon, M.C., B.A., Q.C.	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
Samuel Jethro Graham, D.D.S.	Peterborough, Ont. ..	Oct. 14, 1952
Duncan Roy Kennedy, Q.C.	Ottawa, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
Goldwin Smith Lord, M.A., LL.D.	Edmonton, Alta.	Oct. 14, 1952
Alfred Irwin McFarlane.....	Port Arthur, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952

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John Alexander MacKenzie.....	Regina, Sask.	Oct. 14, 1952
Charles Frederick Martin.....	Walkerville, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
Rev. William George Martin, D.D.	Winnipeg, Man.	Oct. 14, 1952
Walter Trevor Overend.....	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
Harry Simcoe Parkinson, Q.C.	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
Harold Hastings Pickard.....	Fredericton, N.B.	Oct. 14, 1952
Kenneth McBeth Rae	Kingsville, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
George James Alexander Reany	Preston, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
Arthur Sagar Robinson, M.A., LL.D.	Moncton, N.B.	Oct. 14, 1952
Harold Bruce Scott.....	Winnipeg, Man.	Oct. 14, 1952
Harry Beardsmore Sinfield.....	Fort William, Ont. ..	Oct. 14, 1952
Harold Clifton Smith.....	North Bay, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
Kenneth Roland Smith.....	Dundas, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
William Tyre.....	Vancouver, B.C.	Oct. 14, 1952
Joseph Wellington Buckland.....	Montreal, Que.	Sept. 15, 1953
Frederick J. Ellison.....	Windsor, Ont.	Sept. 15, 1953
George James Emery.....	Niagara Falls, Ont. ..	Sept. 15, 1953
James Trevethan George.....	Port Hope, Ont.	Sept. 15, 1953
George Frederick Grinyer.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 15, 1953
Thomas David Clark Hamilton.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Sept. 15, 1953
William Henderson Harper.....	Calgary, Alta.	Sept. 15, 1953
Harry Douglas Harrison.....	Nelson, B.C.	Sept. 15, 1953
George Edwin Adolph Jacob.....	Kitchener, Ont.	Sept. 15, 1953
Hilliard Scott Maxwell.....	Regina, Sask.	Sept. 15, 1953
Thomas Robert Ross.....	Fort William, Ont. ..	Sept. 15, 1953
Ralph Hamilton Rutherford.....	Dundas, Ont.	Sept. 15, 1953
George Herbert Ryerson.....	Brantford, Ont.	Sept. 15, 1953
Norman Sydney Smith.....	Borden, Sask.	Sept. 15, 1953
James Leslie Stewart.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 15, 1953
Ernest Robert Tennant.....	Winnipeg, Man.	Sept. 15, 1953
Geoffrey Alfred Wheable, B.A., LL.D.	London, Ont.	Sept. 15, 1953
Frank Smith Williams.....	Fort William, Ont. ..	Sept. 15, 1953
Adna Clifton Woods, Phm.B.	Moose Jaw, Sask.	Sept. 15, 1953
Alexander Adams.....	Winnipeg, Man.	Oct. 5, 1954
Cecil Addison Bailey.....	Pembroke, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
Charles James Ripley Ballantyne	Kapuskasing, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
Earle Stanley Burrows, D.D.S.	Guelph, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
Norman Warriner Byrne, Q.C.	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
Gordon Douglas Carlisle.....	Peterborough, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
Melbourne Russell Chappell.....	Sydney, N.S.	Oct. 5, 1954
Thomas Arthur Dawson.....	Tryon, P.E.I.	Oct. 5, 1954
Maurice Stanton Donovan, C.A.	Brandon, Man.	Oct. 5, 1954
Spencer Cox Guest.....	Winnipeg, Man.	Oct. 5, 1954
Samuel Harris.....	High Prairie, Alta. ..	Oct. 5, 1954

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Joseph Alonzo Hearn.....	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
William Haine Jackson	Innisfail, Alta.	Oct. 5, 1954
Henry Darroch Macgillivray, M.B.E.	St. John's, Nfld.	Oct. 5, 1954
Alexander MacKenzie Matheson, B.A., LL.B., Q.C.	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
Harvey Frank McCulloch, B.A., Q.C.	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
Charles Roy McIntosh.....	Oshawa, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
Lindsay Clifton Moffat, M.M., C.D.	Brandon, Man.	Oct. 5, 1954
William David Muir.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
Alexander Clark Murray, Phm.B.	Woodstock, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
Alfred Thomas Merton Palmer.....	North Bay, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
Norman McLeod Paterson.....	Fort William, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
Wesley Wintersteen Pattison.....	Edmonton, Alta.	Oct. 5, 1954
Garnet Shuter Lane Retallack.....	Montreal, Que.	Oct. 5, 1954
Samuel Stanley Smith.....	Guelph, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
William Harvey Caldwell, Phm.B.	Vancouver, B.C.	Sept. 20, 1955
Wilbert Lee Campkin.....	Regina, Sask.	Sept. 20, 1955
John Alexander Dewart.....	Peterborough, Ont. ..	Sept. 20, 1955
Beverly Everitt Easton, B.S.A.	Chatham, Ont.	Sept. 20, 1955
Albert Howard Felt.....	Barrie, Ont.	Sept. 20, 1955
James Alden Gass.....	Moose Jaw, Sask.	Sept. 20, 1955
Bernard Edward Lefevre.....	Victoria, B.C.	Sept. 20, 1955
David Little.....	Edmonton, Alta.	Sept. 20, 1955
Elwin George McDougall.....	Vancouver, B.C.	Sept. 20, 1955
Duncan McIntyre.....	Collingwood, Ont.	Sept. 20, 1955
John St. Clair Crymble Moffitt	Vancouver, B.C.	Sept. 20, 1955
William Albert Prugh.....	Brandon, Man.	Sept. 20, 1955
Victor Lawrence Robertson.....	Saskatoon, Sask.	Sept. 20, 1955
John Rupert Stewart.....	Vancouver, B.C.	Sept. 20, 1955
Herman Albert Frank Ballstadt.....	S. Ste. Marie, Ont.	Sept 11, 1956
Willard Gibson Blair.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Harry Earle Britton, M.D., C.M., F.A.C.S.	Moncton, N.B.	Sept. 11, 1956
Hugh Moir Cairney.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Ryerson Meyers Christie, B.A.Sc.	Cardston, Alta.	Sept. 11, 1956
Hugh George Cooke.....	Kingston, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Archdale Stephenson Coombs.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Herbert Victor Dobson, B.A., M.B., M.Sc., F.A.C.P.	Peterborough, Ont. ..	Sept. 11, 1956
Willard Meredith Gordon, B.A., LL.B., Q.C.	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Arthur Richard Haviland.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Thomas Jack Lees, R.O.	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Kenneth MacKay.....	Fort William, Ont. ..	Sept. 11, 1956

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Charles Frederick MacKewn.....	London, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Charles Malcolm Macleod, B.A., Q.C.	Edmonton, Alta.	Sept. 11, 1956
John Patrick Melvin.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Ernest Harold Mitchell.....	Edmonton, Alta.	Sept. 11, 1956
Wilfrid Eades Morley.....	S. Ste. Marie, Ont ..	Sept. 11, 1956
Frank Walker Paterson.....	Lethbridge, Alta.	Sept. 11, 1956
Robert James Rankin.....	Halifax, N.S.	Sept. 11, 1956
Warren LaVerne Smith.....	London, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Donald Andrew Somerville, D.D.S.	Bristol, N.B.	Sept. 11, 1956
Thomas Grover Cleveland Tiehborne	Windsor, Ont, ...	Sept. 11, 1956
Joseph Frederick Vandrick, Phm.B.	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Frank Albert VanIderstine.....	Charlottetown, P.E.I.	Sept. 11, 1956
Howard Russell Wellington	Windsor, Ont, ...	Sept. 11, 1956
James Sidney Winters.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
George Ernest Blake.....	Fort William, Ont. ..	Sept. 10, 1957
Arthur Vance Chapman.....	Port Arthur, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1957
Frederick Clayton Courtice.....	Brandon, Man.	Sept. 10, 1957
Charles Davidson Donald, B.A., D.D.	Oakville, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1957
Bruce Brown Foster, B.S.A.	Ridgetown, Ont	Sept. 10, 1957
Edwin Alexander Gardner, B.Arch., D.Sc.	Ottawa, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1957
Melbourne Morton Gardner.....	Dayspring, N.S.	Sept. 10, 1957
Burnett Charles Lamble, P. Eng.	Orillia, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1957
George Harvey Linklater.....	Kincardine, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1957
Warren James Maxwell, R.O.	Fredericton, N.B.	Sept. 10, 1957
William John Angus McCormack, C.A. ..	Brantford, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1957
John Melvin Moffatt.....	Galt, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1957
John Alexander Campbell Moore.....	Halifax, N.S.	Sept. 10, 1957
Rae Ronald Porteous.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1957
Maxwell Cline Purvis, Q.C.	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1957
Vivian Hewton Alfred Savage.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1957
Peter Alexander Sinclair.....	Barrie, Ont	Sept. 10, 1957
Stanley Clifford Sudden, D.D.S.	Dundalk, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1957
Cuthbert William Andrews, B.Sc., C.E. ..	Riverside, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1958
Charles Frederick Ayerst.....	Amherstburg, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1958
Harold Arthur Burleigh.....	Fort Frances, Ont. ..	Sept. 9, 1958
Alexander Campbell, M.Sc.	Winnipeg, Man.	Sept. 9, 1958
James Frederick Campbell.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1958
Arthur Allan Casselman.....	Englehart, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1958
John George Diefenbaker, Q.C., D.C.L., LL.D.	Ottawa, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1958
Thomas John Donnelly.....	Kingston, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1958
John Henry Eydt.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1958

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William Lauder Ferguson	Strathroy, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1958
Leslie Miscampbell Frost, ..		
Q.C., LL.D., D.C.L.	Lindsay, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1958
Frederick William Gregory.....	Niagara Falls, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1958
Wesley Irwin Haskett.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1958
Robert Lewis Jex, B.A.	Winnipeg, Man.	Sept. 9, 1958
Gordon Carlos Kelly, B.A., M.D'.	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1958
Walter Ralph Kinsman, M.R.A.I.C.	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1958
Reginald George Lewin.....	Calgary, Alta.	Sept. 9, 1958
Kenneth William MacDonald, R.O.	Preston, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1958
Hector Robertson MacLean, D.D.S.	Edmonton, Alta.	Sept. 9, 1958
John McDonald, M.D.	Lachine, Que.	Sept. 9, 1958
Donald McGugan, B.A., M.C., O.B.E.	Victoria, B.C.	Sept. 9, 1958
Dougald Alexander McInnis.....	Windsor, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1958
William Allen McKnight,		
M.B.E., Phm.B.	Winnipeg, Man.	Sept. 9, 1958
Burton Malcolm McNaughton.....	Kitchener, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1958
Roy William Merryweather.....	Saint John, N.B.	Sept. 9, 1958
John Hanna Nicholls Morgan.....	New Westminster,	
	B.C.	Sept. 9, 1958
Francis John Pyle.....	Edmonton, Alta.	Sept. 9, 1958
Daniel Regan.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1958
Robert Alexander Ross.....	Fort William, Ont. ..	Sept. 9, 1958
Frederick Sangster.....	Vancouver, B.C.	Sept. 9, 1958
Ross Scott.....	Brucefield, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1958
Raymond Hamilton Smith.....	Port Arthur, Ont. ..	Sept. 9, 1958
William Stanley Stabler.....	Kingston, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1958
John Forest Stephen.....	Oyama, B.C.	Sept. 9, 1958
William George Strong, B.A.	Ottawa, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1958
John Bernard Williams.....	Port Arthur, Ont. ..	Sept. 9, 1958
Reginald William Wood.....	Halifax, N.S.	Sept. 9, 1958
John Wallace Bell, B.A.	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 8, 1959
George Albert Blakney.....	Lewisville, N.B.	Sept. 8, 1959
William John Carson.....	Sarnia, Ont.	Sept. 8, 1959
George Erle Cornell, Phm.B.	Fort Erie, Ont.	Sept. 8, 1959
John James Creighton.....	Tatamagouche, N.S.	Sept. 8, 1959
Charles Daniel Dickison, R.O., Phm.B.	Newcastle, N.B.	Sept. 8, 1959
Ross Leonard Dobbin, B.A.Sc., P.Eng.	Peterborough, Ont.	Sept. 8, 1959
Dugald Johnston Graham.....	Saskatoon, Sask.	Sept. 8, 1959
William Herman Gusa, B.A., B.Ed.	Moose Jaw, Sask. ..	Sept. 8, 1959
Thomas Gordon Harper.....	Regina, Sask.	Sept. 8, 1959
Robert Henry Hope.....	Brantford, Ont.	Sept. 8, 1959
Alexander Herman MacMillan.....	Halifax, N.S.	Sept. 8, 1959

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Malcolm Wallace McCutcheon, Q.C., C.B.E.	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 8, 1959
John Tregloan Rogers.....	Rouleau, Sask.	Sept. 8, 1959
Thomas Sanderson.....	London, Ont.	Sept. 8, 1959
Henry Clare Sootheran.....	Peterborough, Ont. ..	Sept. 8, 1959
Cecil Leslie Strachan, E.D., D.D.S.	London, Ont.	Sept. 8, 1959
Orval Douglas Vaughan, B.A.Sc.	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 8, 1959
Orton Todd Walker, R.O.	Brampton, Ont.	Sept. 8, 1959
Ernest Charles Wilkes.....	Sydney, N.S.	Sept. 8, 1959
Thomas Llewelyn Wilson.....	Oshawa, Ont.	Sept. 8, 1959
William Thomas Wooster.....	Windsor, Ont.	Sept. 8, 1959
James Ewart Wright, E.D. L.D.S., D.D.S. St. Catharines, Ont.	Sept. 8, 1959	
James Bailey.....	Calgary, Alta.	Sept. 13, 1960
Gordon Murray Barrie.....	Montreal, Que.	Sept. 13, 1960
Edward Howard Brown, Phm.B.	Winnipeg, Man.	Sept. 13, 1960
Norman Stuart Caudwell, Q.C.	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1960
Leo Wilberforce Copp, B.A., B.Paed	Peterborough, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1960
Cyril Cormick.....	Edmonton, Alta.	Sept. 13, 1960
Harry Couper.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1960
Ellwood Hodd McMurchy Daly.....	London, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1960
Rufus William Ellison, B.A.	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1960
Leonard Ernest Fenn.....	London, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1960
Donald Jamieson Gunn.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1960
Albert Hinton.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1960
Heman Stanley Hurlburt, Q.C.	Vegreville, Alta.	Sept. 13, 1960
Frederick Ferdinand Homuth, Phm.B. ..	Harriston, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1960
Robert Henry Johnson.....	Vancouver, B.C.	Sept. 13, 1960
Francis Scott Mackenzie, M.A., D.D.	Montreal, Que.	Sept. 13, 1960
Frederick John Mitchell.....	Dundas, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1960
David Arthur O'Neil	Bridgewater, N.S. ..	Sept. 13, 1960
George Moss Quackenbush.....	Dundas, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1960
Roy Sidney Reynolds, B.Sc.	Chatham, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1960
Kenneth Moore Robinson.....	Burlington, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1960
Henry Percival Rutter, B.C.L.S.	Victoria, B.C.	Sept. 13, 1960
Maxwell Bedford Ryckman, M.D.	St. Thomas, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1960
William Howard Scrivens.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1960
Frank Defyncham Shannon, M.D.	Barrie, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1960
Edward Charles Shepherd.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1960
Ross Stanley Sheppard, M.A., M.Ed.	Edmonton, Alta.	Sept. 13, 1960
Frank Smallman.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1960
Russell Williams Treleaven, Q.C.	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1960
William Arthur Wood, B.A.	Brandon, Man.	Sept. 13, 1960
James Noble Allan, B.S.A., LL.D.	Dunnville, Ont.	Sept. 5, 1961
Frank Hubert Bartrum.....	Windsor, Ont.	Sept. 5, 1961

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Leonard Francis Bishop.....	Brantford, Ont.	Sept. 5, 1961
James Ubert Brown.....	Dutton, Ont.	Sept. 5, 1961
Allan Jordan Buchanan, D.D.S.	Acton, Ont.	Sept. 5, 1961
Norman Edgar Burbridge.....	Windsor, Ont.	Sept. 5, 1961
Robert Dickson Clarke.....	Calgary, Alta.	Sept. 5, 1961
Frederick Crawford Curry, Phm.B.	Brockville, Ont.	Sept. 5, 1961
Horace Blair Dickey, Q.C.	Kentville, N.S.	Sept. 5, 1961
Reginald Evans Ellis.....	Summerside, P.E.I.	Sept. 5, 1961
John Campbell Ferguson.....	Ingersoll, Ont.	Sept. 5, 1961
Arthur Boyd Finnie.....	Port Hope, Ont.	Sept. 5, 1961
Hugh James Heasley.....	Waterloo, Ont.	Sept. 5, 1961
Sydney Carlos Heckbert.....	Vermilion, Alta.	Sept. 5, 1961
Oscar Francisco Kay.....	Winnipeg, Man.	Sept. 5, 1961
Richard Wallis King.....	Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.	Sept. 5, 1961
Francis Graham Lamont.....	Winnipeg, Man.	Sept. 5, 1961
Murray Bloice Lloy.....	Calgary, Alta.	Sept. 5, 1961
George Alexander MacLeod.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Sept. 5, 1961
Thomas Melville Mayberry.....	Burlington, Ont.	Sept. 5, 1961
Charles Addy McIlveen.....	Saint John, N.B.	Sept. 5, 1961
Alfred Edward McKay, M.C.	Calgary, Alta.	Sept. 5, 1961
Alfred John Bidder Milborne.....	Knowlton, Que.	Sept. 5, 1961
Ralph Titus Pearson.....	Sussex, N.B.	Sept. 5, 1961
Marshall Menzies Porter, LL.B., Q.C.	Calgary, Alta.	Sept. 5, 1961
Thomas Alexander Rice.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 5, 1961
Edward Hewitt Rivers.....	Calgary, Alta.	Sept. 5, 1961
Lionel James Robb.....	Valleyfield, Que.	Sept. 5, 1961
John Bevitt Sainsbury.....	Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.	Sept. 5, 1961
Gordon John Whitney.....	London, Ont.	Sept. 5, 1961
Walter Leonard Woodhouse.....	Victoria, B.C.	Sept. 5, 1961
Harry Alexander Baptie.....	Peterborough, Ont. ..	Oct. 2, 1962
William Arthur Blackburn.....	Stayner, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1962
Douglas Earle Bothwell.....	Chatham, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1962
Charles Edward Brotherton.....	West Vancouver, B.C.	Oct. 2, 1962
Cecil Roy Brown.....	Leamington, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1962
John Maver Burnett.....	Wallaceburg, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1962
William Burrell Cannon.....	Caledon East, Ont. ..	Oct. 2, 1962
William Alexander Curran.....	Trail, B.C.	Oct. 2, 1962
Victor David Davidson, M.D., C.M.	Rothsay, N.B.	Oct. 2, 1962
Gordon Alexander Ferguson.....	Moose Jaw, Sask.	Oct. 2, 1962
Godfrey Martin FitzGerald.....	Orangeville, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1962
Edmund John Hicks.....	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1962

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Henry Sydney Jevons.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1962
Thomas Lockhart B. Johnston.....	Burlington, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1962
William Donald Johnston.....	Kingston, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1962
Richard John Lord.....	Ancaster, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1962
John Edward McMulkin, D.D.S.	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1962
Donald Delmar McQueen.....	Vulcan, Alta.	Oct. 2, 1962
George Alexander Newport.....	Niagara Falls, Ont. ..	Oct. 2, 1962
Walter Stewart Owen, Q.C., LL.D.	Vancouver, B.C.	Oct. 2, 1962
Edward Kent Phillips, M.Sc.	Saskatoon, Sask.	Oct. 2, 1962
Donald Stuart Robertson.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1962
Franklin Adelbert Rutherford, B.Com., LL.B.	Regina, Sask.	Oct. 2, 1962
Horrell Sanderson, C.A.	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1962
Thomas Douglas Slater, B.A., Q.C.	Kingston, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1962
John Elwood Stackhouse, B.S.A.	London, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1962
George Randolph Sterling.....	Benalto, Alta.	Oct. 2, 1962
William John Lorne Taylor.....	London, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1962
Albert Edward Thurlow.....	Woodstock, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1962
Frank William Toswell.....	Powassan, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1962
George Edward Turner, M.D.	Windsor, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1962
Frank Lonsdale Ullman.....	Ancaster, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1962
Thomas Andrew Wood.....	Halifax, N.S.	Oct. 2, 1962
William Lewis Wright, B.A., Mus.D.	Robson, B.C.	Oct. 2, 1962
Thomas Gordon Aberdeen, F.R.A.I.	Edmonton, Alta.	Sept. 10, 1963
Matthew Lyle Barr.....	Vancouver, B.C.	Sept. 10, 1963
Archibald Neil Baxter.....	Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1963
Charles Stanley Boyd, B.Sc.Eng.	Fort Erie, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1963
James Wesley Bradley.....	Kirkland Lake, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1963
Fredrick Benjamin Brisco.....	Chatham, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1963
James Edgar Burt.....	Sovereign, Sask.	Sept. 10, 1963
Walter Alva Carveth.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1963
Frederick McIntosh Cass, Q.C.	Chesterville, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1963
John Tom Clark.....	Victoria, B.C.	Sept. 10, 1963
George Thomas Cox.....	Lethbridge, Alta.	Sept. 10, 1963
Ronald James Curry.....	Haliburton, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1963
George Thomas Evans, B.Sc.Arch.	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1963
Leonard Earl Fingarson, C.A.	Regina, Sask.	Sept. 10, 1963
Everon Flath, M.D.	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1963
Max Edwin Geissinger, M.D.	Nelson, B.C.	Sept. 10, 1963
William Daniel Graham.....	London, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1963
Philip Hammonds.....	Brandon, Man.	Sept. 10, 1963
John Edward Hastie.....	Hampstead, Que.	Sept. 10, 1963
James Dight Hill.....	Woodstock, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1963

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Edward Philip Hoover.....	Hampstead, Que.	Sept. 10, 1963
John Alfred Irvine.....	Lambeth, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1963
William Johnston.....	Simcoe, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1963
Stewart Irwin Knox.....	Port Arthur, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1963
Allen James Lunn.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1963
Frederick Gus Miller, M.D., C.M.	Elk Point, Alta.	Sept. 10, 1963
Walter Henry Mortlock.....	Peterborough, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1963
William James Oliver, B.Sc., B.Ed.	Regina, Sask.	Sept. 10, 1963
Reginald Howarth Ozburn, B.S.A.	Guelph, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1963
Benjamin Stuart Parker.....	Winnipeg, Man.	Sept. 10, 1963
Boulton Hume Price, Phm.B.	Orillia, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1963
Norval Richard Richards, M.Sc.	Guelph, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1963
Richard Bertram Seymour.....	Burlington, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1963
Cornelius Claremont Simpson.....	Del Bonita, Alta.	Sept. 10, 1963
Bent Luke Skidmore.....	Moncton, N.B.	Sept. 10, 1963
Harry Mildenhall Standish, F.C.I.S.	Halifax, N.S.	Sept. 10, 1963
John Trevor Thompson.....	Montreal, Que.	Sept. 10, 1963
Harold Vance Trenouth.....	North Bay, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1963
Granville Waller.....	Drinkwater, Sask. ..	Sept. 10, 1963
Herman William Bauer.....	Glencoe, Ont.	Sept. 8, 1964
Pieter Bregman.....	Copper Cliff, Ont. ..	Sept. 8, 1964
Bernie Brown.....	Edmonton, Alta.	Sept. 8, 1964
Francis Gordon Chandler.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 8, 1964
Herbert Thomas Cottrell.....	Vancouver, B.C.	Sept. 8, 1964
James Arthur Crawford.....	Vancouver, B.C.	Sept. 8, 1964
Alan James Gilroy.....	Kelowna, B.C.	Sept. 8, 1964
Mortimer Cleeve Hooper, B.A., Q.C.	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 8, 1964
Ernest Arthur Horswill.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 8, 1964
Birkett Lishman.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Sept. 8, 1964
Antonius Hermanus Johannes Lovink	Ottawa, Ont.	Sept. 8, 1964
Angus Albert MacDonald.....	Winnipeg, Man.	Sept. 8, 1964
Franklin Elbert McKeown.....	Regina, Sask.	Sept. 8, 1964
George James McQueen.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 8, 1964
William Ellis Meldrum, D.D.S.	Ottawa, Ont.	Sept. 8, 1964
David James Miller.....	Burlington, Ont.	Sept. 8, 1964
Allan Morris Mills.....	Newmarket, Ont.	Sept. 8, 1964
Charles Shibley Neilson, C.E., B.A.Sc. ..	Windsor, Ont.	Sept. 8, 1964
Albert Edward Ritchie.....	Winnipeg, Man.	Sept. 8, 1964
Harold Alexander Shiach, C.A.	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 8, 1964
Clair Henry Smith, C.A.	Regina, Sask.	Sept. 8, 1964
Kenneth Sanford Smith, B.A., Q.C.	Halifax, N.S.	Sept. 8, 1964
Herman Eagles Sullivan.....	Saint John, N.B.	Sept. 8, 1964
Nelson Egbert Weakley	Woodstock, Ont.	Sept. 8, 1964

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Frederick Hugh Wilkinson, M.A., D.D., LL.D.	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 8, 1964
William Worwood.....	Charny, Que.	Sept. 8, 1964
Charles Porter Wright.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Sept. 8, 1964
Clarence Stewart Anderson.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 14, 1965
Henry William Armstrong.....	Windsor, Ont.	Sept. 14, 1965
Archibald Hugh Biggart.....	Regina, Sask.	Sept. 14, 1965
Loring William Foreman Crothers	Hull, Que.	Sept. 14, 1965
Harold Robert Emberson Dye.....	Thornhill, Ont.	Sept. 14, 1965
William Alexander Eastwood.....	Vancouver, B.C.	Sept. 14, 1965
Stuart Archibald Fleming.....	Vernon, B.C.	Sept. 14, 1965
Christopher McMath Fry.....	Riverside, Ont.	Sept. 14, 1965
John Murray Gardiner.....	Calgary, Alta.	Sept. 14, 1965
Kenneth William Griffin.....	Lindsay, Ont.	Sept. 14, 1965
William Alexander Carlyle Hall, Q.C.	Oshawa, Ont.	Sept. 14, 1965
Robert Leith Hanbidge, Q.C.	Regina, Sask.	Sept. 14, 1965
Stuart Lawrence Hodge	Greenfield Park, Que.	Sept. 14, 1965
Delmar Francis Horton.....	Halifax, N.S.	Sept. 14, 1965
Robert Thompson Livingstone Innes, B.A., Q.C.	Brantford, Ont.	Sept. 14, 1965
Lewis Bayliss James.....	Galt, Ont.	Sept. 14, 1965
Agnew Herbert Johnston, M.A., D.D.	Fort William, Ont.	Sept. 14, 1965
Thomas Frederick Kingsmill, B.S.A.	London, Ont.	Sept. 14, 1965
Edward James Langley.....	Cooksville, Ont.	Sept. 14, 1965
Oliver John Little.....	Preston, Ont.	Sept. 14, 1965
Nigel Malcolm MacLean.....	Vancouver, B.C.	Sept. 14, 1965
Cyril Comfort Martin.....	Niagara Falls, Ont.	Sept. 14, 1965
Lionel Cecil Martin.....	Montreal, Que.	Sept. 14, 1965
Vernon Alexander McFadgen, Phm.B.	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 14, 1965
Austin Milton McQuarrie.....	Shelburne, Ont.	Sept. 14, 1965
Terry Leonard Meek.....	Kentville, N.S.	Sept. 14, 1965
Edwin Alastair Merrett.....	Victoria, B.C.	Sept. 14, 1965
David Robert Montgomery.....	Chatham, Ont.	Sept. 14, 1965
John Ross Parrott, D.D.S.	Midland, Ont.	Sept. 14, 1965
Charles Edward Pinnell.....	Calgary, Alta.	Sept. 14, 1965
Ben Lowrie Robinson.....	Edmonton, Alta.	Sept. 14, 1965
Charles John Frederick Ross, B.A., Q.C.	London, Ont.	Sept. 14, 1965
Archie Wilson Routledge.....	Regina, Sask.	Sept. 14, 1965
James Alexander Saunders.....	Moncton, N.B.	Sept. 14, 1965
Kenneth Stirling Nelson Shepherd, C.A., ...	Kelowna, B.C.	Sept. 14, 1965
Phillips MacKay Till, C.A.	Belleville, Ont.	Sept. 14, 1965
Theodore William Totten.....	Windsor, Ont.	Sept. 14, 1965
George Thomas Wallis.....	Vancouver, B.C.	Sept. 14, 1965
John Waterhouse.....	Guelph, Ont.	Sept. 14, 1965

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Col. Sir Basil A. T. McFarland, Sovereign Grand Com-
mander, Supreme Council for Ireland.

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Philippines.....	Howard R. Hick.....	R. A. B. Wootton
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Greece.....	Denis Diacos.....	Constantin Melanidis.....	19 Aharnon Street, Athens
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*Robert Marshall	*William Brown McArthur
*John Walter Murton	*William Gibson
*Hugh Alexander Mackay	*William George Eakins
*John Valentine Ellis	*Sydney Albert Luke
*David Ransom Munro	*Joseph Richard Seymour
*James Domville	*William Marshall Black
*James Kirkpatrick Kerr	*Edwin James Everett
*Hugh William Chisholm	*Donald Darrach
*William James Bury	*Thomas Lees
Macleod Moore	*James Glanville
*William Reid	*Frederick Justus Howell
*William Henry Hutton	*Alexander McDougall
*Eugene Mortimer Copeland	*T. Harry Webb
*Isaac Henry Stearns	*William Allen Young
*Benjamin Lester Peters	*John Alexander Cameron
*Robert Thomas Clinch	*Thomas Walker
*Hugh Murray	*Alfred Frederick Webster
*William Benjamin Simpson	*Augustus Toplady Freed
*Charles Napier Bell	*James Henry Winfield
*Daniel Spry	*Lewis Frederick Riggs
*Francis Partridge	*Edward Ainslie Braithwaite
*George Thomas Smithers	*Alexander Shepphard
*David McLellan	*Frank Charters
*John Morison Gibson	*Frank Goodell Wait
*Herbert Swinford	*George Moore
*Frederick Joseph Menet	*John McKnight
*Edward Lusher Foster	*Arthur Carson McMaster
*Angus William Hooper	*Alex. Fleming Copland Ross
*James Frederick Walker	*John Crawford Scott
*William Henry Thorne	*Walter Hammill Davis
*John James Mason	*Jabez Miller
*Albert Daniel Nelson	*Robert William Clewlo
*Enoch Bruce Butterworth	*Walter Norris Duff
*William Henry Ballard	*Albert Edward Cooper
*Benjamin Tooke	*Joseph Elwood Miller
*John De Wolfe Chipman	*William McGregor Logan
*Charles Wells Hagar	*William Hugh Wardrope
*Benjamin Allen	*Arthur Barton Wood
*Elias Talbot Malone	*Edward Harper Cairns
*Daniel Fraser MacWatt	*Stewart Coulter Burton
*Alexander Stephen	*John Albert Rowland
*John McKechnie	*Douglas Gordon McIlwraith

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*George Davidson Ellis	Steeves
*William James Major	Alexander George Storie
*Murdoch James Macleod	*Ernest Burdette Thompson
*Arthur Stirling Gorrell	Donald Alexander Roy
*Oliver Edward Stanton	McCannel
*John Albert Dobbie	William Addison Henry
*Alexander Chisholm	Carroll Nelson Simpson
*James Alexander Henderson	Reginald Vanderbilt Harris
*Francis James Burd	James McLean Marshall
*Derwyn Trevor Owen	*Robert Barclay Pow
*Charles Stanton Hamilton	Albert Edward Fowles
*Frank Armitage Copus	*John Rudd Rumball
*James Mackie	Robert Alexander
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EASTER CEREMONIES

Chapters of Rose Croix:	Maundy Thursday April 15, 1965	Easter Sunday April 18, 1965
Hamilton	374	500
London	339	166
Toronto	411	543
Rose of Sharon, Kingston	106	59
Spry, Barrie	214	312
Murray, Ottawa	209	111
Hochelaga, Montreal	197	237
Quebec	52	36
Harrington, Saint John	145	129
Keith, Halifax	364	280
Bethesda, Winnipeg	446	435
Vancouver	436	207
Mizpah, Edmonton	190	280
Guelph	142	136
Sault Ste. Marie	120	47
Regina	224	216
Nanna-Bijou, Fort William	223	183
Windsor	217	171
Delta, Calgary	221	186
Victoria	143	76
Brandon	70	66
Peterborough	170	246
Saskatoon	112	115
North Bay	257	205
Alexander Shepphard, Moose Jaw	65	71
Moray, Vernon	59	65
Kokanee, Nelson	50	49
Chinook, Lethbridge	101	108
Niagara	127	102
Kent, Chatham	123	40
St. Lawrence, Summerside	16	20
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MEMBERSHIP—ANNUAL RETURNS—1965

LODGES OF PERFECTION																	1964			Adm't- rated			Real- ated			With- drawn			Supp- ended			1965			Increase		
Province	Location	Name																																			
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CHAPTERS OF ROSE CROIX

Province	Location	Name	1964	Admitted	Affiliated	Reinstated	Died	Withdrawn	Supplanted	1965	Increase	Decrease
Alberta	Calgary	Deila	589	27	3	....	12	4	....	607	18	..
	Edmonton	Alphah	212	2	....	....	....	....	....	937	20	..
	Lethbridge	Shinn	212	40	....	....	....	4	5	243	31	..
	TOTAL		1,718	102	5	....	30	12	....	3,783	65	....
British Columbia	Vancouver	Vancouver	902	45	6	....	31	6	....	916	14	..
	Vernon	Moray	156	12	2	....	7	1	....	162	16	..
	Nelson	Kelnes	256	27	....	....	6	2	....	259	3	..
	Victoria	Victoria	256	7	....	....	....	....	....	259	3	..
	TOTAL		1,400	88	12	....	47	11	....	1,442	42	....
Manitoba	Brandon	Brandon	214	3	....	....	....	....	....	208	..	6
	Winnipeg	Bethesda	573	37	....	....	20	3	...	779	5	..
New Brunswick	Saint John	Harrington	1,187	40	....	....	26	8	7	1,186	5	6
	TOTAL		505	28	2	1	15	3	....	518	13	....
Nova Scotia	Halifax	Kelth	860	32	2	1	16	5	6	968	8	2
	Prince Edward Island	Summerside	50	....	....	....	....	....	....	50	..	..
	TOTAL		910	22	2	1	16	5	8	916	8	2
Ontario	Barrie	Sperry	500	28	....	....	12	....	....	519	23	....
	Park William	Manna & Jan	500	28	....	....	41	....	5	601	11	..
	Guelph	Guelph	656	33	1	....	18	2	1	669	13	..
	Hamilton	Hamilton	226	3	....	....	15	....	2	240	17	..
	London	London	526	52	2	....	22	....	1	547	21	..
	London	London	1071	63	....	....	22	....	1	1,111	40	..
	North Bay	North Bay	748	40	1	....	21	....	1	765	17	..
	Pittsburg	Pittsburg	692	31	1	....	13	....	2	700	18	..
	Sault Ste. Marie	Sault Ste. Marie	235	13	....	....	5	....	....	201	6	..
	Toronto	Toronto	1,648	74	1	....	24	....	1	1,692	44	..
	Windsor	Windsor	235	15	....	....	4	....	1	245	10	..
	Niagara Falls	Niagara	235	15	....	....	25	....	....	245	10	..
	Chatham	Kent	246	30	1	....	4	....	....	272	26	..
	TOTAL		11,591	504	11	4	315	10	16	11,769	192	14
Quebec	Montreal	Hochberg	777	44	1	....	19	2	3	1,159	42	....
	Quebec	Quebec	777	44	1	....	....	....	....	777	..	..
Saskatchewan	TOTAL		922	58	1	....	25	4	3	957	25	....
	Weyak Jaw	Alexander Shapchar	204	....	....	....	7	2	1	255	..	6
	Rosina	Rosina	43	1	....	....	13	3	5	777	23	....
	Saskatoon	Saskatoon	362	17	1	....	12	1	3	364	2	..
TOTAL			1,377	64	2	....	32	6	9	1,396	23	6
	TOTAL TOTALS		19,620	914	35	6	506	59	43	19,907	375	28
GRAND TOTALS											Net Increase	347

CONSISTORIES

Province	Location	Name	1954	Admitted	Affiliated	Reserved	Died	Withdrawn	1965	Increase	Decrease
Alberta	Edmonton	Alberta	850	47	...	...	16	1	880	30	...
Alberta	Calgary	Saultina	521	21	...	...	10	...	541	20	...
British Columbia	Vancouver	British Columbia	591	21	2	...	20	...	1004	410	...
British Columbia	Vancouver	45	923	45	...	...	23	...	935	12	...
British Columbia	Vancouver	45	923	45	...	...	23	...	935	12	...
New Brunswick	Saint John	New Brunswick	326	19	1	...	12	...	334	8	...
New Brunswick	Saint John	45	326	19	...	...	12	...	334	8	...
New Scotia & P. E. I.	Halifax	Nova Scotia	737	35	2	1	14	2	4	679	134
Ontario	Hamilton	Norfolk	319	319	...	...	18	...	313	5	...
Ontario	Hamilton	Norfolk	319	319	...	...	18	...	313	5	...
Quebec	Montreal	Quebec	866	63	...	...	23	2	3	870	4
Quebec	Montreal	Quebec	866	63	...	...	23	2	3	870	4
Quebec	Montreal	Quebec	866	63	...	...	23	2	3	870	4
Saskatchewan	Regina	Saskatchewan	1104	65	...	...	23	6	1131	27	...
Saskatchewan	Regina	Saskatchewan	1104	65	...	...	23	6	1131	27	...
Saskatchewan	Regina	Saskatchewan	1104	65	...	...	23	6	1131	27	...
TOTAL			12994	673	7	2	336	22	12992	303	5

MEMBERSHIP — 1965

Province	Craft Membership	Lodges of Perfection Membership (a)	Chapters of Rose Croix Membership (b)	Consistories Membership (c)	(d)
Alberta	19178	2285	1783	1432	80.3%
British Columbia	26949	2106	70	1442	68.4
Manitoba	15808	1497	9.4	1186	79.9
New Brunswick	8576	1025	11.8	518	50.5
Nova Scotia & P. E. I.	13733	1286	9.3	916	71.2
Ontario	133394	17033	12.7	11769	69.0
Quebec	17423	1032	5.9	857	92.7
Saskatchewan	16713	1815	10.8	1396	76.9
Totals	251774	28079	11.2	19967	71.1
				13299	66.5
					47.3

(a) % of Craft Membership
(b) and (d) % of Lodge of Perfection Membership.
(c) % of Chapters of Rose Croix Membership.

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CHAPTERS OF ROSE CROIX

Name	Where Situated	Meeting Day	M. W. Sov.	Registrar	Address of Registrar
Hamilton	Hamilton, Ont.	4th Tues.	A. W. Bedwell	A. E. Jenner	4 Queen St. S.
London	London, Ont.	4th Mon.	Wm. G. Robinson	G. J. Whitney	442 Riverside Dr.
Toronto	Toronto, Ont.	3rd Thurs.	J. Frank Stewart	John V. Lawton	158 Colin Ave.
Rose of Sharon	Kingston, Ont.	4th Thurs.	H. P. Wilson	A. W. Thompson	273 Yonge Street
Spy	Barrie, Ont.	4th Mon.	C. H. Garham	D. F. Tupling	48 Dalton Street
Murray	Ottawa, Ont.	4th Mon.	N. F. H. Bright	C. Bruce Bell	26 Melgund Ave.
Robeclaga	Montreal, Que.	4th Tues.	B. S. Hastings	J. E. Hastie	42 Thurlow Rd., Hampstead
Quebec	Quebec, Que.	3rd Mon.	R. Lovett	W. Worwood	1462 - 23rd St.
Kingston	Saint John, N.B.	3rd Thurs.	William Chahley	A. C. Lemmon	P.O. Box 430
Keith	Halifax, N.S.	4th Frid.	J. F. Feeney	Oscar F. Kay	1570 Walnut St.
Bethesda	Vancouver, B.C.	4th Frid.	Gordon S. Wilson	J. R. Stewart	626 West Pender St.
Vancover	Edmonton, Alta.	3rd Frid.	Vern Sudd	John Booth	10318 - 100th Ave.
Mariposa	Edmonton, Alta.	last Thurs.	J. Dearing	J. B. Hunter	122 Yorkshire St. N.
Guelph	Guelph, Ont.	3rd Thurs.	G. F. O. Wilson	W. W. Holmes	32 Crawford Ave.
Sault Ste. Marie	Sault Ste. Marie	2nd Frid.	J. L. McMillan	Thos. G. Harper	3120 Retallack St.
Regina	Regina, Sask.	3rd Thurs.	W. Ress Rogers	L. H. White	P.O. Box 251
Nanaimo-Bijon	Fort William, Ont.	4th Tues.	G. Ray Wightman	D. A. McInnis	976 Gladstone Ave.
Windsor	Windsor, Ont.	4th Tues.	David Cunningham	R. F. Lawrence	3331 Alfrege St.
Dalla	Calgary, Alta.	3rd Thurs.	W. P. Groves	J. T. Clark	1345 Monterey Ave.
Victoria	Victoria, B.C.	4th Thurs.	C. E. A. Cragg	J. E. Yates	703 - 20th Street
Brandon	Brandon, Man.	4th Thurs.	Milton Gould	W. H. Macdonald	P.C. Box 92
Peterborough	Peterborough, Ont.	4th Thurs.	W. E. Dunsmore	Leroy Holmes	206 Birks Bldg.
Saskatoon	Saskatoon, Sask.	4th Thurs.	F. M. Striton	H. C. Smith	239 Princess Blg. W.
North Bay	North Bay, Ont.	4th Thurs.	G. M. Irwin	H. C. Harle	1231 - 5th Ave., N.W.
Moore	Moore, B.C.	4th Thurs.	F. L. Irwin	H. C. Harle	5802 - 19th St.
Alexander Sheppard	Vernon, B.C.	1st Frid.	Irwin J. Butcher	Joseph Kay	1223 Kokanee St.
Kokanee	Nelson, B.C.	1st Frid.	D. D. McQueen	George T. Cox	609 11th St. S.
Chinook	Lethbridge, Alta.	1st Tues.	W. S. Coolin	F. E. Wilson	469 Hiram St.
Nanaimo	Chatham, Ont.	1st Tues.	H. Guy Morrison	D. R. Montgomery	192 Elizabeth St.
Kent	Summerside, P.E.I.	1st Tues.	F. A. Van der Stine	V. J. Campbell	219 Fitzroy St.
St. Lawrence	St. Lawrence	1st Tues.	F. A. Van der Stine	V. J. Campbell	219 Fitzroy St.

LODGES OF PERFECTION

Name	Where Situated	Meeting Day	T. P. G. M.	Grand Secretary	Address of Grand Secretary
Murton	Hamilton, Ont.	1st Tues.	Robert F. Inch	J. C. Coombs	4 Queen St. South
London	London, Ont.	3rd Mon.	Bruce Grant	A. C. Sutherland	453 Dufferin Ave.
Toronto	Toronto, Ont.	2nd Mon.	Roy E. Baylis	John V. Lawton	158 Colin Ave.
Kingston	Kingston, Ont.	2nd Thurs.	B. W. Matthews	A. W. Thompson	273 Yonge Street
Royal City	Guelph, Ont.	3rd Mon.	J. F. Snow	C. B. Hunter	122 Yorkshire St. N.
Barrie	Barrie, Ont.	3rd Tues.	S. H. Wilson	J. J. Allison	31 Claperton St.
Ottawa	Ottawa, Ont.	2nd Mon.	G. H. Nelms	C. Bruce Bell	36 Gladstone Ave.
Quebec	Montreal, Que.	2nd Mon.	F. C. McMillan	J. E. Hastie	42 Thurlow Rd., Hampstead
Quebec	Quebec, Que.	2nd Mon.	N. C. Cowie	W. Worwood	1462 - 23rd St.
Saint John	Saint John, N.B.	2nd Thurs.	H. W. MacDonald	A. C. Lemmon	P.O. Box 430
Halifax	Halifax, N.S.	3rd Thurs.	D. O. Robertson	Oscar F. Kay	1570 Walnut Street.
Winnipeg	Winnipeg, Man.	2nd Frid.	Alex. C. Slessor	J. R. Stewart	626 West Pender St.
Vancouver	Vancouver, B.C.	2nd Frid.	R. C. Hawkshaw	V. J. Campbell	219 Fitzroy Street
Summerside	Summerside, P.E.I.	1st Frid.	W. S. Burns	John Booth	10318 - 100th Ave.
Edmonton	Edmonton, Alta.	3rd Thurs.	W. A. Milligan	Thos. G. Harper	3120 Retallack St.
Regina	Regina, Sask.	2nd Tues.	Michael Krezek	Wallace W. Holmes	32 Crawford Ave.
Sault Ste. Marie	Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.	2nd Wed.	Bruce Martin	D. A. McInnis	976 Gladstone Ave.
Windsor	Windsor, Ont.	1 & 2 Mon.	Lyall B. Davy	L. H. White	P.O. Box 251
Fort William	Fort William, Ont.	2nd Frid.	D. G. S. Cumming	R. F. Lawrence	3331 Alfrege St.
Saskatoon	Saskatoon, Sask.	2nd Frid.	E. H. Simpson	James Tait	805 - 7th Ave. W.
Victoria	Victoria, B.C.	2nd Thurs.	Cecil M. Parrott	J. T. Clark	10318 - 100th Ave.
Brandon	Brandon, Man.	4th Thurs.	W. E. Wightman	H. C. Harle	1231 - 5th Ave., N.W.
Moore	Moore, B.C.	1st Frid.	F. H. Wignore	W. H. Macdonald	P.O. Box 92
Peterborough	Peterborough, Ont.	4th Mon.	Budd B. Cotter	F. E. Wilson	469 Hiram St.
Niagara Falls	Niagara Falls, Ont.	4th Thurs.	S. C. R. Perkins	H. C. Smith	1223 Kokanee St.
North Bay	North Bay, Ont.	4th Wed.	John McGowan	Joseph Kay	626 West Pender St.
Nelson	Nelson, B.C.	4th Wed.	M. E. Geisinger	Geo. T. Cox	3502 - 19th St. S.
Vernon	Vernon, B.C.	1st Frid.	T. Pickering	E. H. Olmsted	182 Elizabeth St.
Lethbridge	Lethbridge, Alta.	1st Frid.	J. J. Willan	D. R. Montgomery	33 Princess St.
Chatham	Chatham, Ont.	4th Frid.	Harold M. Rench	C. N. Smith	280 Knightbridge Rd.
Moncton	Moncton, N.B.	3rd Thurs.	E. D. Taylor	R. B. Lawson	394 - 40A Ave.
Woodstock	Woodstock, Ont.	3rd Thurs.	A. G. Gibson	W. A. Stacey	144 12th St. S.E.
Central Alberta	Red Deer, Alta.	3rd Thurs.	L. W. Flynn	Howard W. George	1178 Marianne Cres.
Medicine Hat	Medicine Hat, Alta.	3rd Mon.	James A. Callen	R. G. Bersford	R.R. No. 2, Nanaimo.
Boundary	Trail, B.C.	1st Wed.	G. J. Knight	Harry Allen	23497 29th Rd., Haney, B.C.
Colville	Nanaimo, B.C.	4th Wed.	R. H. Johnson	H. J. Assman	591 Watrous St.
Fraser Valley	Langley, B.C.	4th Mon.	Charles W. Morrow		
Cariboo	Prince George, B.C.		L. E. Macdonald		
Cape Breton	Cape Breton, U.D.				

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